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THE RAILROAD MEN RALLY

A BIG TORCHLIGHT PARADE AND SPEECHES.

Congressman Knox Dodges the Issues and Talks Tariff—M. J. Murray of Boston and Others Talk of Saving the Country.

A largely attended rally was that of the Boston & Maine Gold club in Huntington hall last evening.

The club is composed of railroad employes from different cities who rally at different places. They came to Lowell on a special train some 500 in all from Boston, Salem, Lawrence, Lynn, Reading and other cities.

At the depot they were met by the National band and the local railroad men. In the procession which followed was the Grimes Torchlight battalion of Reading, five companies of men in sailor attire, and the Boston & Maine club. The railroad men carried different colored railroad lanterns.

At Huntington hall G. W. Peore called to order and introduced Mr. Taft, who was proud of the fact that he was a railroad man. Then J. G. Abbott, president of the club, said that the railroad men were going to save the country.

Michael J. Murray of Boston spoke briefly on gold and congratulated the club upon its manner of procedure.

Hon. H. W. Chaplin, an alleged democrat, and president of the National Democratic club of Dedham, was next introduced, and after him the principal speaker of the evening, Congressman William S. Knox of Lawrence, made an address. Though he had spoken in Huntington hall before he said, this is the first time that he ever appealed to the voters to save the country's honor and the flag from repudiation. The fact, he said, that free silver would cut down the pay of the working man would not dishonor the nation as it holds no contract with them, but it would with the veterans. Then he wisely shifted onto the tariff question, and occupied most of his time upon it. He also talked about restricted emigration and what little time he took with gold and silver was devoted to statements oft heard before.

After the rally refreshments were served to the Boston & Maine men in the depot.

Police Court—Hadley, J.

There were about a dozen drunks before Judge Hadley this morning. Two of them had their eyes blackened.

Mary Freeman, who presented the worst appearance, was sent to the workhouse for 6 months.

Michael Malone got 8 months in the state farm, and Patrick Hughes will spend 7 months in the same place.

David Foss, the 17 year old drunk, was sent to the reformatory and so was Edward Perrin, who were charged with larceny.

Annie Wilson claims to belong in Boston, and she has been spending much of her time with the Armenians here in Lowell.

Judge Hadley decided to give her a chance to leave town within 24 hours. She skipped.

Democrats, register to-night from 7 to 9.

Queer Town In Georgia.

There is a unique town in southwest Georgia. It is called Sardis, a settlement of colored people exclusively. Every house in Sardis is owned by colored people—about 100 families—and all are missionary Baptists. They live in new, spacious and well built houses. In their midst sits the Baptist church, probably the prettiest church edifice belonging to the race between Macon and Jacksonville.—Atlanta Constitution.

A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

FOR SALE

Cottage house and about 5000 feet of land at 26 Butterfield Street. House contains 9 rooms, steam heat, bath room, hot and cold water, cemented cellar and there is plenty of room in rear of house to build another house or stable. Good neighborhood. Inquire on premises between the hours of 1 and 2 p. m.

FOR FLOWERS GO TO PATTEN & CO., FLORISTS 293 Central Street.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Sherman, J.

In the Superior court yesterday the case of Bristol vs. the Estey Organ company, was concluded. The attention of the court was given almost wholly to the second count, that to recover $80.90, which the plaintiff claims as his due from the piano company while working on commission. The first count, on a question of law as to the responsibility of the company in recognizing a contract made between one of its agents and a third party, goes to the Supreme court.

The arguments were made by J. C. Burke for the company and J. H. Morrison for the plaintiff.

The cases of Hussey vs. Brady and Hussey vs. Slater were not placed on trial. B. D. O'Connell for the plaintiff declining to carry the case further, the court ordered a verdict for the defendant in each case, that judgment corresponding with the one given in the police court. P. A. Fay represented the defence.

The case of Reagan vs. the city of Lowell, suit to recover for damages sustained by the defendant owing to defect in the sidewalk in Market street, near Jefferson in September of 1895, was next tried. John J. and W. A. Hogan for plaintiff and the city solicitor for the defendant.

Head & Shaw Opening.

Yesterday all day long the ladies called at this pretty millinery establishment at 99 Merrimack street, and many were the words of praise of the ladies for the exquisite taste displayed, in not only the hats and bonnets, but also in the pretty appearance of the store.

As you enter the place the first thing to attract your attention is a large upright show case filled with an almost endless variety of millinery supplies. This case is illuminated with electric lights. On both sides of the store there are counters filled with hats and bonnets of all styles and prices.

This firm has built up a large business especially in making bonnets for elderly ladies, and they seem to have been particularly fortunate in securing the services of Miss M. A. Martin, formerly of the leading house in Boylston street, Boston. Miss Martin is a genius in the millinery art and here is a description of a hat and bonnet that she showed yesterday, following faithfully the style of the latest Parisian ideas.

Madame Virot, the leading milliner of Paris, has designed a beautiful bonnet, which is shown at this store. It is of seal jet, and the trimmings are of green mirror velvet, which cover the entire front. At the side is a pretty knot of thread lace and clusters of humming birds. On the other side is a cluster of gold Marguerite and black satin ribbon ties, from the back trimming. Birds of Paradise with black and white aigrettes, complete this becoming bonnet.

Another beautiful creation is the Josephine hat, of black velvet, with an elaborate running of rose-colored mirror velvet and a cluster of five ostrich tips at the side. The crown is draped with black lace barb, and is caught at intervals with black cut jet crescents. Two ostrich tips and a bunch of China asters, to match the crown made an elegant rear epeoration.

There are scores of other exquisite designs in the millinery line.

The opening will continue today and tomorrow. This establishment is under the direct supervision of Mrs. Shaw. Every lady who intrusts work in her care is sure to be satisfied. The mourning goods are the most beautiful to be found in this city. Do not fail to see the exhibit at 169 Merrimack street today and tomorrow.

Is This a Campaign Yarn?

Nearly 20 years ago Colonel John P. Barrett of Louisville had his initials carved on a silver 10 cent coin and set it afloat on the marts of trade. A few days ago his widow, Mrs. Mattie Barrett, came into possession of the identical coin and now treasures it as a valuable keepsake. It has lost little of its polish in its peregrinations, and every letter upon it is legible. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

Gold In Georgia.

Within 12 miles of Atlanta is a piece of property which has been thoroughly prospected and found to be rich in gold bearing quartz—assaying an average of $15 to the ton of 2,000 pounds—within 30 feet from the surface.

Merit Talks

"Merit talks" the intrinsic value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Merit in medicine means the power to cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses actual and unequalled curative power and therefore it has true merit. When you buy Hood's Sarsaparilla, and take it according to directions, to purify your blood, or cure any of the many blood diseases, you are morally certain to receive benefit. The power to cure is there. You are not trying an experiment. It will make your blood pure, rich and nourishing, and thus drive out the germs of disease, strengthen the nerves and build up the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best, in fact—the One True Blood Purifier. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

Hood's Pills Do not purge, pain or gripe. All druggists. 25c.

The Consumers' Brewing Co.'s EXPORT BEER

Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery, is the

Best Spring Tonic

Just Out. For Sale by All Local Dealers.

DONOHOE AND MANSFIELD

Won Great Victories in Democratic Caucuses Last Evening.

And Will be Candidates for Representative in Their Districts—Both Are Assured of Support Throughout—Coughlin Defeats Harrigan in Billerica—John G. Gordon and Rollin Stickney Carry Their Wards.

Overseer of the Poor Joe Donohoe won a glorious victory last night.

In the only representative district in which there is a surety of electing a democrat he pulled out ahead. As a result of the primaries it looks now as though the convention will accord Mr. Donohoe the nomination by acclamation. His showing last night is ample proof of his popularity for he was up against two very strong candidates. Messrs. Curtin and O'Connor accepted their defeat gracefully and their kind remarks for their successful competitor pleased the voters immensely.

Joe Donohoe swept through wards five and nine and Dracut, and it is understood that the delegate chosen in every other town in the district except Billerica are favorable to him. In the latter place Coughlin delegates were chosen with a leaning toward Donohoe for second choice. In the 25th district the delegates elected are unpledged and in the 26th the nominees are Mansfield, Gordon and Stickney. The story of the caucuses follows:

Ward One.

R. J. McCluskey called the Ward One caucus in Jackson hall to order at 7.30. He was chosen chairman of the meeting, and Hugh Williams, secretary.

A committee of three, J. F. Dawson, George Grant and Edward Burns, was appointed to bring in a list of delegates, and the following names were presented: Anthony A. Conway, James Fleming, E. J. Burns, J. H. Corcoran, Wm. Hessian, John Kearney, Joseph T. Griffin, R. J. McCluskey, B. J. Callahan, Joseph F. Dawson, John J. Carrigg, John J. Duffy, and Hugh McSorley. The report of the committee was accepted and adopted.

Ralph Stickney, John G. Gordon, and Matthew Mansfield were endorsed for representatives by a vote taken, 36 to 13.

Ward Two.

One of the quietest caucuses ever held in that part of the city was that held in Ward two, where four candidates, Mathew W. Mansfield, Hugh Maguire, Jr., Thos. J. Garvey and J. Joseph Hennessey, each had a list of 24 delegates on the ballot. As only one list could be voted for there was much confusion and 33 blank ballots out of the 627 cast.

It was Mr. Mansfield's fight from start to finish and at 8 o'clock odds of 5 to 4 on him were refused.

Thomas H. Muldoon called to order at 7 o'clock and the officers elected were as follows: Chairman, William A. Hogan; secretary, James Hearn; ballot distributor, John Pendergast; counters, Daniel J. Manning for Mansfield; Peter H. Savage for Maguire; Michael J. Garvey for Garvey and Thomas H. Muldoon for Hennessey.

The voting began quite briskly and continued for an hour before there was a lull. There were no disputes, discussions or motions. One would hardly think a caucus was in progress.

The polls closed at 8.30 and an hour later the count was announced as follows: Whole number, 627; Mansfield, 272; Maguire, 156; Garvey, 95; Hennessey, 68. During the count Mr. Mansfield led on every block of 50 excepting one, when Mr. Maguire led.

After the announcement, upon motion of M. J. Garvey, the vote for Mr. Mansfield's delegates was declared unanimous. With three cheers for Mansfield, the caucus then adjourned.

The Mansfield delegates are:

P. H. Barry, T. F. Brennan, J. J. Johnson, T. J. Flynn, John Courtney, W. V. Meade, Joseph Hennessey, P. Crimmins, D. Murphy, John Bowers, John Tobin, Bernard Lynch, Wm. Healey, Chas. Mitchell, Fred Cronin, P. Coleman, P. Donohue, P. Garrigan, James McCann, James Donnelly, George Golden, Jeremiah Mack, Thomas Murphy, J. J. Sullivan.

Ward Three.

The caucus was held in the Branch street fire station. The polls were thrown open at 7.30 o'clock and closed three-quarters of an hour later. Mansfield was the only candidate to present a regular list of delegates and he captured all of the 22 votes.

Here are the delegates: Henry Keyes, Wm. Doherty, John J. Dowd, Michael Donahue, Jere White, Con. Sheehan, Frank McCarthy, Daniel Leary, Peter F. Brady, John C. O'Neil, Jos. Miller, Richard Murphy.

The chairman of the meeting was John J. Burns and the secretary M. J. Donahue. The Australian ballot was used.

Ward Four.

There was a good gathering of voters in the Lyon street school basement.

James F. Miskella was appointed chairman of the meeting and Edward Flanagan secretary.

Joseph H. Gormley, John Maguire and Henry F. Kelley were chosen as a committee to name delegates and presented the following names which were approved:

James F. Miskella, Henry F. Kelly, Joseph H. Gormley, John E. Maguire, Edward F. Flanagan, Peter J. Brady, Stephen O'Hare, T. J. Reynolds, Frank M. Fagan, John J. McQuade, John P. Mahoney, Morris Mullam, F. J. O'Neil, John Keenan, John Cassidy, Frank J. Conroy, Con. Hickey, Daniel Mahoney, James F. Owens, Charles F. Tumelty, John J. Sheehan, John J. Gray, John P. Mahoney.

These delegates are unpledged.

Ward Five.

The quietest caucus, where a contest was being waged, ever held in this city was last night's caucus in the Boston & Maine depot.

There was the friendliest feeling between the candidates Joseph F. Donohoe, William F. Curtin and Joseph O'Connor. It was a pretty fight too, from beginning to end. There was never such a crowd of shouters in a ward room as was out for Donohoe. During the night there were frequent shouts of "16 to 1 vote for Donohoe," "Free silver for Donohoe" and "Donohoe's all right." His supporters were quite demonstrative, more so than the friends of Messrs. Curtin and O'Connor, who were doing quiet and effective work. There were 796 votes cast, and everything was done by the candidates to swell the vote. It was after midnight when the announcement of the vote was made as follows: Joseph F. Donohoe 345, William F. Curtin 259, J. Joseph O'Connor 173; blank 22. The delegates pledged to Donohoe are Joseph F. Donohoe, Patrick H. Shoughro, Philip Ginty, Peter E. McMahon, Charles E. Thornton, Michael McMullen, Philip F. Maguire, Daniel McConville, Richard J. Sparks, Timothy Devine, Samuel H. Harnden, Michael F. McCarthy, Peter H. Cullen, Peter J. Hagan, Daniel F. McVey, Thomas H. Craig, John J. Delaney, Martin W. Holloran, Jas. F. McCormick, Con. E. Dugan, Napoleon Roy, Frank H. Sears.

Daniel J. O'Brien was chairman of the caucus, Michael J. Daily, secretary and Hugh Farley, ballot distributor.

When the result was announced, Mr. Curtin addressed the chair, and delivered a few remarks that pleased the voters immensely. He said that he had exerted every effort for victory and had failed. "I congratulate my opponent," he said, "and I want to make the vote here to-night unanimous. Your labors have only just commenced. The margin between the two great parties in this district is so small that it falls on you as a duty to work incessantly from now on for Mr. Donohoe's election.

"My services from now till election day are at Mr. Donohoe's disposal, and I assure you that for his election I shall work as hard as I did for my own success to-night. I feel grateful to those who supported me in this fight, and I trust I shall have an opportunity to repay them."

Mr. Curtin was cheered when he concluded.

Then Mr. O'Connor was heard. He said: "I want to second Mr. Curtin's motion. I have made an honorable fight, and now that the voters have expressed a preference for another man, my duty is to see that everything is done to secure his success at the polls.

"Mr. Donohoe will have a colleague on the ticket and he too must be supported. I will say to my friends that I will not allow my name to be used for the second place on the ticket. Let some one else have it. I feel thankful to my friends who supported me, and I have no ill-will to those who were against me." Mr. O'Connor's remarks were loudly applauded.

The motion to make the vote unanimous then passed. There were cries of "speech" "speech" for Mr. Donohoe, but the successful candidate had started for home with his friend Peter H. Savage, when it became apparent he would win.

Ward Six.

The caucus was called to order promptly at 7.30 and John Nolan was elected chairman.

The following delegates were chosen: John H. Harrington, Fisher H. Pearson, Thomas J. Gallagher, Ralph W. Stickney, John T. Donahue, C. A. Hamilton, Peter A. Golden, Thomas J. Carmody, William M. Donahue, Austin F. Conway, John H. Nolan, Joseph McGrath, F. Callahan, Joseph Neaphere and John Boyers.

It is understood that the delegates are favorable to Gordon, Stickney and Mansfield.

Ward Seven.

There were about 50 voters present at the Fletcher street engine house when the caucus was called to order.

The officers elected were chairman, Andrew E. Barrett; secretary, Andrew Molloy.

Delegates (unpledged), M. F. Donohoe, J. H. Riordan, John Welch, J. F. Murphy, J. F. Holden, J. J. Mayo, Edward J. Carroll, Andrew A. Gray, Michael J. Dineen, John F. Enright, Joseph Lamoreux, John F. O'Brien, J. J. Hogan, John McMammon.

Ward Eight.

The caucus in this ward was held in the Highland school last night. No lists were submitted to the voters, so a committee consisting of the chairman, O. A. Libby, and the secretary, T. F. Kelley, was appointed to draw one up.

The following names submitted by the committee, unpledged, were approved: O. A. Libbey, T. F. Kelley, John Ryan, M. H. Fletcher, C. H. Whitman, E. D. McVey, John J. Foy, P. Connors, E. F. Grady.

Ward Nine.

The caucus in the High street engine house was the closest in its results in the city. There were 453 votes cast, which is an indication of the great interest the contest aroused. Candidate Curtin resides in this ward and it was here that Mr. Donohoe determined to exert every effort to win from the young attorney.

As soon as the polls were opened Mr. Donohoe was on hand with some of his workers and from 5 o'clock in the afternoon to 10 at night when the polls closed he remained at his post. J. Joseph O'Connor too had friends there looking after his interests. J. F. McElholm presided at the caucus and John H. Clark was secretary. The counting was finished after 11 o'clock and the result showed that Donohoe had won by 22 votes. The vote was; Donohoe, 193, Curtin 171, O'Connor 81. The delegates elected pledged to Donohoe are: Peter E. Donohoe, Thomas P. Boulger, E. P. McOsker, F. J. Doherty, A. E. Rountree, J. H. Callahan, William Fitzgerald, M. F. Connors, Anthony McCarron, H. T. Sullivan, P. J. Deehan, jr, B. J. O'Hara, W. H. Merritt, J. H. Grinan, F. J. McOsker.

At one time during the evening 14 Swedes entered and filed in to cast their votes. They were led by "Gus." Alberg and were solid for Joseph F. Donohoe's delegates.

Billerica Caucus.

About 100 voters gathered at the caucus in the town hall at Billerica last evening, where the contest between Thomas M. Harrigan and Michael Coughlin has been waged.

The caucuses organized with Edward L. McMahon, chairman, and Paul F. Mason, secretary. The polls were kept open an hour during which piano solos were given by Wm. J. Cowdrey.

The vote was 72 for the Coughlin delegates and 10 for those of Harrigan.

The delegates are: Martin Conway, Jr., John O. Morris, Edward L. McNabb, and Philip Nolan.

DONOHOE WINS.

Carried The Dracut Caucuses by Good Majority.

Dracut had the liveliest kind of a caucus last night. The voters were out in force, and "Joe" Donohoe had a force behind him that could not have been overcome. The voting was brisk and early in the evening Mr. Flaherty and Roger Hayes came in arm in arm to deposit Donohoe ballots. They were all dressed for the occasion, wore shining tiles and Prince Albert suits. They got a cheer as they entered in the room. It was the first time the two old gentlemen had attended a caucus there. The vote was: Donohoe 53, Curtin 22, O'Connor 10. The delegates elected, and pledged to Donohoe are: George F. Tucker, Patrick A. Coleman, Michael F. Whelton, John J. Haviland, and Thomas F. Riley.

Democrats, register to-night from 7 to 9.

Shirts Made to Order.

F. L. Wyeth, agent, American house, on request will call and show samples. prices the same as you pay for the best ready-made that you take as they come. We make them any style or length and guarantee satisfaction in every respect.

Have you paid your taxes?

WIGGINVILLE.

Work is progressing on the new bridge over the B. & M. R. R. tracks with great rapidity.

The schools of this village are in excellent condition and are in charge of a most efficient corps of teachers, and in the four rooms of the two school buildings are about 155 pupils.

Mr. Benjamin Stavely, a well known resident of this "burg" is suffering from the effects of a cold, but is able to be about.

Several of the school boys are in danger of getting hurt if they do not stop their dangerous practice of catching on to the electric cars when in motion. Some of them are becoming decidedly obnoxious to conductors and motormen.

The new residence of A. W. Cogswell is fast approaching completion and will soon be ready for occupancy.

The Sun is becoming very popular with Wigginville residents.

A full registration of the democratic vote is confidentially expected.

The residence of Mr. Michael Smith has been recently re-shingled and other exterior improvements. Mr. Smith has a nice field of cabbages in the rear of his house, which is the cynosure of all sightseers who drive through this village.

Wigginville is badly in need of street lights and it is hoped that before the winter sets in the proper authorities will attend to the matter.

Millinery Opening.

Friday and Saturday, Oct. 2 and 3, all the best and latest styles in hats, bonnets and millinery novelties. We invite all. Miss B. E. Willard, 442 Merrimack street.

Pay your taxes now, and avoid interest.

EARNING MONEY IN LOWELL

And spending it in another city makes the latter so much richer and Lowell so much poorer—when it comes to buying clothing, remember the Merrimack Clothing Co., is the only Lowell firm that makes a specialty of

HOME MADE CLOTHING

Made here in Massachusetts by A. Shuman & Co.—who employ none but skilled union labor—and the product of our home labor and home talent—is displayed in the elegant garments in our windows—is fast drawing the foreign and imported articles out of the Lowell market.

Never Sold so Many Nobby Suits, Young Men's Nobby Suits

Is the way our salesmen put it—there is a reason for it, our collection of brown plaids and over plaids for young men, and the cheviots including quiet effects—this lot for men of mature age is the best in Lowell and prices are low.

Fall and Winter Box Overcoats

In Covert Cloth, Kersey and Molton decidedly smart over garments for young men to be worn till ulster time

MERRIMACK Fashion Corner Opp. City Hall **CLOTH'G CO.**

2 O'CLOCK

GREAT DISASTER

Latest Report From Florida Storms.

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE AT CEDAR KEYS.

The Property Loss Will Be Enormous.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 2.—Cedar Keys is a place of desolation and death. A few days ago it was a thriving town of 1500 inhabitants. While today, few houses remain standing. Scores of people are seriously injured and twenty corpses have been recovered from wrecked buildings.

All this is the result of the terrible hurricane which swept this section Tuesday night. The town which is situated on the Keys at the mouth of the Suwanee river, was soon swallowed up in the fury of the storm, but the tidal wave from the south made the work of destruction practically complete.

It was the tidal wave which caused greatest loss of life. Many houses were lifted from foundations, taken bodily into the sea and their inmates drowned.

The loss of life at Cedar Keys is nothing to the number of spongers and fishermen drowned. The Mary Eliza came in yesterday morning, dismasted, and reports that in the dark on Monday night nearly 100 vessels were anchored on Sponge bar, below Cedar Keys, and all but about 20 were lost. The boats carried from 4 to 10 men each. Eight corpses have already been washed ashore. The schooner Rosalin was sunk and eight of her crew were drowned.

Reliable news from the western part of Levy and Alchua counties shows not less than 200 families left destitute.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Savoy Opening Postponed.

The postponement from Monday, Oct. 5 to Oct. 7, is a wise move on the part of its new manager Kendal Weston, who realizes that it is better to lose a couple of nights, than to open without having everything complete. The scenery makes the delay, as it is of unusual construction and it has taken longer to make and paint it than was anticipated. But the result will be better through the delay. The Turkish Coffee Room to be situated on the ground floor will be most attractive as it is to be thoroughly Turkish in its drapery, decorations, rugs and divans and is to be run by Shisko & Co., of Boston. Coffee, sherbets, cigars, etc., will be sold there and it will be a charming resort between the acts and after the performance.

Democrats, register to-night from 7 to 9.

EIGHTH ANNUAL OPENING.

Of the New York Cloak and Suit Company.

This popular establishment is just around the corner of Merrimack and John streets, there are but few ladies who have not visited this place. To-day the name of the New York Cloak Store has become a household word with the ladies of this city, because they are sure to see the correct styles there. Mr. Storey has built up a reputation that other dealers may well envy him. This year has by far lead all other years.

Among the display is the "Empire" coat, a decided change from last year. It is 28 inches in length, made on a yoke front and back. It is made up from Kersey cloth and in different shades, viz: Tan, brown, blue, green and black. The sleeves this season are made smaller and this change is noticed in the stock throughout the store. A large puff at the shoulder and tight fitting from the elbow to the wrist completes the sleeve which will be popular this season.

The tight fitting garments are made the same length. They are trimmed with jet or embroidery and many of them are edged with fur. These goods are also shown in plush, an extensive line being carried. A feature in capes are the short lengths. They are made from 10 to 24 inches long and the sweep around the bottom varies from 100 to 200 inches. The display is magnificent and the prices range from $5 to $200.

The children's garments also show a decided change, and the nobby styles this winter will be short reefers. Every lady should attend the opening that continues to-day and Saturday.

LOCAL NOTES.

The city treasurer's office will be open on Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings to receive taxes.

Mme. Gregoire's opening of fall and winter styles of Parisian millinery will be on Monday evening and Tuesday, Oct. 5th and 6th. No cards have been issued and every one is invited to look at these elegant goods.

The Staunton Flood.

Staunton, Va., Oct. 2.—The flood here was caused by the bursting of a lake, and the emptying of its waters into a stream already badly swollen by the rains. From 10 to 12 o'clock of Tuesday night the rain came down in torrents, and soon changed Lewis creek, which runs through Staunton, into a raging torrent, and the water backed and quickly swamped the neighborhood. A handsome brick, stone-trimmed building was totally wrecked. Along the line of the creek in the southern part of the city the water rose several feet in a few seconds, with the result that Staunton experienced the most disastrous flood in its history. Four persons were drowned.

A HARD TIME Load of spruce edgings for $1. Dry enough for kindling, substantial as hard wood. WILLIAM COGGER, Wood dealer, 23 Concord Street. Telephone 453-3.

VARIETY STORES use old papers for wrapping purposes. We sell them at this office for 5 cents a hundred.

WATSON IS DONE

He Leaves the Field Entirely to Sewall.

DISGUSTED AT TREATMENT BY PARTY LEADERS.

Hoke Smith's Paper Authority for the News.

Atlanta, Oct. 2.—The Atlanta Journal says that Tom Watson has decided to withdraw as the vice presidential nominee of the People's party. When it is considered that this paper is the property of Hoke Smith, who resigned from the Cleveland cabinet that he might give free expression to his views in support of Mr. Bryan, the announcement concerning Mr. Watson must be credited with some weight.

Tom Watson was at his room at the Kimball House, surrounded by a phalanx of Populistic braves, last night, and was shut out from the rest of the world so absolutely that all efforts to get from him anything about his movements or intentions proved unavailing. The mystery that surrounded him, perhaps, was in a measure responsible for the many rumors afloat. These took definite shape in the statement that he is certainly going to withdraw from the Populist ticket in disgust. Watson would neither affirm nor deny this rumor. He was as dumb as the proverbial oyster. The story goes that in the People's party paper he will explain his position fully, and that the effect of it will be his withdrawal.

Watson spoke at Stone Mountain yesterday. He made no direct allusion to any idea of withdrawing, and, indeed, left his hearers impressed strongly with the belief that he proposed to stick, come what may. Yesterday afternoon The Evening Journal contained a story, published over a Washington date line, which intimated strongly that the withdrawal was in sight. It spoke of Watson's disgust at the treatment he has received at the hands of other Populist leaders. Watson's paper is published from The Journal's presses. Whether he comes off or not, Watson is disgusted. He is quoted as having said to a friend that he believes McKinley is going to win.

Busy In West Virginia.

Wheeling, Oct. 2.—The greatest demonstration given William J. Bryan in the state of West Virginia was last night paid him in this city. At the fair grounds he spoke to a crowd, the size of which was only limited by the space in front of the speaker's stand and the distance the nominee's voice could be heard. Nearly uniformed marching clubs, bands of music, and citizens in carriages and mounted on horses made up a large procession. At Parkersburg it was the greatest day that city has seen for many years. Excursion trains from all the outlying towns had contributed to swell the crowds. At the grove where Mr. Bryan spoke he received an enthusiastic reception. Mr. Bryan said, in concluding his speech at Parkersburg "You must not believe what you see sometimes in the newspapers, to the effect that I am about to give up. I will not yield, and if you will let me do this work by degrees, and not compel me to do too much, I will promise to keep it up until the evening before election." At Sisterville a great crowd of oil drillers had assembled at the depot, and Mr. Bryan said a few words to them. He also had a word to say to the people of New Martinsville, asking them to make their silver speech on election day.

Thinks It Looks Like McKinley.

Baltimore, Oct. 2.—Joshua Levering, the Prohibition candidate for president, returned home yesterday, after a month spent in the northern and western states. During his absence Mr. Levering spoke in all the large towns in New England and New York, and extended his tour as far west as Minnesota. He will go south, where he will spend the remainder of the time prior to election day, speaking in all the large cities and towns as far south as New Orleans. In speaking of his trip, Mr. Levering said: "One of the best signs of the times, in my judgment, is that the meetings of all sorts and all parties are attended by such crowds and classes of people as have never taken much interest in politics before. The people everywhere seem anxious to hear these new questions discussed, and will turn out to hear anybody. So far as I could learn, I think McKinley will be elected."

Luce Is For McKinley.

South, Bend, Ind., Oct. 2.—Ex-Governor Luce of Michigan, widely quoted as having declared for William J. Bryan, has written a letter to a friend in Laporte, in which he authorizes a denial. He further says that, while not in accord with the declaration of the Republican platform on the money question, yet he believes it his duty to vote for McKinley. He has received 1000 letters of enquiry, he says.

Porter and Schraub For Populists.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 2.—The Populists nominated Democratic candidates for governor and lieutenant governor, Porter and Schraub, ignored Judge Titus and the Democratic nominee for judge of the court of appeals, and named one of their number, Lawrence J. McParlin. The Democratic electoral ticket was accepted. The platform of the September Populist convention was adopted.

Amalgamation Completed.

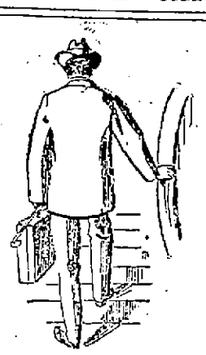
St. Louis, Oct. 2.—The consolidation of the National Association of Democratic clubs and the Association of National Silver clubs has been finally perfected, and the latter organization will take active part in the big convention of the National Association of Democratic clubs, to be held here.

Several Children Bitten.

Maryville, Mo., Oct. 2.—A St. Bernard dog attacked a party of school children here. One was fatally injured, two seriously bitten and a baby in the house of the dog's owner was bitten so severely that recovery is impossible.

Sugar Refinery Closed.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2. — The Spreckles sugar refinery has shut down for an indefinite period, owing to dull trade. About 800 men are thrown out of employment by the closing of the establishment.



The fashionable materials for men's and young men's business suits this season will be rough faced cheviots.

We have a surprisingly good collection of these fabrics in small checks, plaids and mixtures in the new colorings, at popular prices-$6.00, $8.00 and $10.00.

Fly front sacks and vests for those who must have the latest fad—the regular cut for more conservative men.

Higher priced suits, of course—$15.00, up to $25.00 —from Rogers Peet & Co.

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"JOSEPH, THE PINMAN"

TRAMPING ACROSS THE CONTINENT—REACHES LOWELL.

Novel Wager of a Boston Newspaper Man—He Will Arrive in Boston Tomorrow Night Winning a Wager—Is Accompanied by His Wife and a Dog.

"Joe, the Pinman," whose right name is Joe Williams, a newspaper man who is on his way back to Boston after a walk from there to San Francisco and back on a wager, arrived in Nashua today and may strike this city tomorrow.

He started from Boston October 3, 1895, to walk to the Golden Gate and back in a year, and on conditions which made him work his head and legs to win.

The wager was posted after a drummers' talk in a Boston hotel as to how many dollars' worth of goods a man could sell in a year and the territory he could cover.

Joe had to walk every foot of the distance, sell 9,000,000 lead pencils and 6,000,000, together with earning his board and lodging for himself and his wife during the long tramp. His wife and a fox terrier accompanied him, the former riding a wheel from St. Louis. She walked with her husband all the distance until the Missouran city was reached.

"Joe" has done remarkably well and has sold all of his specified number of pins and is confident of selling out the pencils reaching Boston Saturday morning, when the time for the wager is up.

The two purses amount to $5000 and his commissions on his sales $14,000. He will have sold by the time he reaches Boston $250,000 worth of pins and pencils. He also made $3500 in novel advertising schemes during the trip.

In Easton, Pa., he shined the shoes of 250 students. He has sawed wood and been whitewashed in the windows of various big establishments for money and lodging. Nearly every hotel on the route gave him his lodging gratis for doing some little favor. He expects to clear close to $30,000 on the novel enterprise.

"Joe" had a big book of clippings from newspapers all along the line, which he prizes highly. He cannot write a letter or ride on anything until he arrive home, under forfeiture of the purse.

MONEY

deposited in the Savings Department of the Traders' National bank, corner Middlesex St. and Post Office ave. before 9 p. m., Saturday, October 3d, will draw interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum from Oct. 1st. Interest added to the deposit or may be withdrawn Jan. 1st and July 1st. Savings Department open 8 a. m., to 4 p. m., Saturday evenings 7 to 9.

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INVITATION TO THE LADIES.

The Fall Opening of Millinery will be held at Abbie M. Smith's 175 Merrimack Street, Today and Tomorrow. No cards have been sent out, but all the Ladies are invited to attend.

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JOHN H. HARRINGTON of Lowell

The republican press and the republican stump orators are endeavoring to spread the belief that McKinley's election is assured. Democrats should not be gulled by any such bluff, because the silver sentiment of other states cannot be duly appreciated in New England.

The Mail says Bryan never makes an argument. Can the Mail produce any well founded argument to show that gold has not appreciated nearly 50 per cent. since 1873, and that under the free coinage of silver the parity between the two metals cannot be maintained at the ratio of 16 to 1? Furthermore, will the Mail explain why Mr. McKinley voted for free silver in congress and denounced the gold policy of Cleveland which he now indorses?

THE MINISTERS TO ACT.

We notice that the ministers of the city are to take the advice of Evangelist Moody and pray for the country's redemption from "calamity." Let us hope that the Lowell ministers will not stultify themselves by following the example of some who prostitute their pulpits to the worst kind of political quackery and speak and act as if cautioning the Almighty that he will make an egregious blunder if he permits Mr. Bryan to be elected. Would it be impertinent to inquire if this movement is the result of the republican campaign appeals, the same as have been received by Catholic clergymen throughout this country?

MR. KNOX'S ALLIANCES.

The hullaballoo and red fire illumination to which this city was regaled last night was a fair specimen of the republican campaign.

Mark Hanna has been running excursions to Canton to make a show of popularity for the republican candidate and of course, as might be expected, a fair proportion of Bayan's supporters accepted the invitation for a free ride. The Boston and Maine railroad and Mr. Knox, the present congressman, combined to run a special train to this city last night in order that voters might be taken up along the line to fill Huntington hall in Lowell.

The Boston and Maine, with its Gold club, seems to be out for Mr. Knox, who is president of a bank as well as candidate for congress. Here, then, is a combination which in every way represents the money power and the monopoly so injurious to the people of this country. Mr. Knox, if again elected to congress this year, will more than ever unite himself to the gold bugs, the monopolists, the trusts and combines, which headed by Mark Hanna bid fair to surpass all their past audacity in the corruption of government and the oppression of labor.

Millions and millions of dollars have been contributed for the election of McKinley by the money kings and the leading trusts and monopolies of this country. They are casting their bread upon the waters, but they expect it to return greatly multiplied.

Should McKinley be elected every shylock and every trust that contributed to his campaign boodle will expect to be recouped by high tariff subsidies and special laws and immunities that would enable them more successfully to carry on their nefarious work of bleeding the people.

Mr. Knox, by his declarations and by the adoption of the special train feature of campaign, placed himself in line with the policy of Mark Hanna, McKinley, the money kings and all the elements and combinations that stand between the people and just government.

Is this the kind of a congressman the people of the fifth district want for the next two years? Do they want a man who will stand by the people or one who will work against the people? If the voters want the latter, if they want a man who will be a tool in the hands of labor's worst enemies, who will vote against the people's interest, who will be controlled by bigots, then they should vote for Mr. Knox. But if they want a man of the people who will fight the people's battles in the halls of Congress and elsewhere, if they want a man who will be the foe of the money power and of every oppressive trust and combination in this country, a man who will not be controlled by bigots, corruptionists or lobbyists—then they should vote for John H. Harrington of Lowell.

When you need printing remember The Sun.

THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

BRYAN TO THE MINISTERS.

He Is Willing to Take Chances With Lazarus If They Prefer Dives.

Well, I could stand any appeal made by the advocates of the gold standard to almost any class better than an appeal made to the preachers and teachers of religion. If there is one thing that the church people of this country could afford to array themselves against it is the gold standard as it is being advocated by the American people at this time. And yet the Republican party is appealing to church people to take their place upon the side of the gold standard.

How things have changed in the last 1,800 years! Look at the people who head the gold standard propaganda in the United States. Look at the bondholding class and the money changer classes, the brokerage classes of New York, who are trying to fasten a gold standard upon the people of this country, not openly, but secretly and in disguise, and then turn back 1,800 years, when the meek and lowly Saviour threw the same kind of people out of his temple because they had made his house a den of thieves, and then think that these people come and appeal to the ministers of the gospel and the church papers to save them from the wrath to come!

My friends, when certain ministers of the gospel denounce the great mass of the people who stand behind free coinage, when these ministers have denounced these advocates of free coinage and have taken their places upon the side of those great aggregations of wealth, I remind them that when the Saviour was here it was the common people who heard him gladly—the very people whom these ministers call anarchists and socialists.

My friends, when I find—there are not many of them, but they are quite conspicuous—when I find these men casting their lot upon that side and exhausting abusive language in their description of the great masses of the people of this country, I feel like saying to them that if they will take their chances with Dives I will risk my chances with Lazarus.

I believe that for every Democrat we lose because of the position we have taken on the money question we are going to get 10 who are not Democrats. While our opponents do not understand what 16 to 1 means and give various definitions, I believe that definition is the one they fear most.—William J. Bryan.

When Belmont Succeeds.

Baron Rothschild will feel able to buy another European kingdom or so when Perry Belmont succeeds in controlling the electoral vote of Texas and putting J. P. Morgan in charge of the Alamo.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

One Way to Get It.

If the Hanna crowd want to get back the money they paid out to rescue McKinley's property from the sheriff, they should take it out of the Republican campaign fund.—Exchange.

FACTS FOR WORKINGMEN.

What the Election of McKinley Will Mean to Wageworkers.

If McKinley wins this fight, we go flat upon the single gold standard unmitigated even by any reasonable hope of relief from any source. That will mean a final settling down to gold prices in every branch of industry and trade. It will mean wages to labor in this country corresponding closely to the wages given to the "pauper labor" of gold standard Britain.

But one of the very first effects of the final triumph of the single gold standard in this year's election would be a sharp cut in the wages of all labor and the early beginning of a readjustment of prices in other industries besides agriculture.

The single standard gold dollar is a dear dollar the world over. The man who has it is going to get something when he parts with it.

If McKinley is elected, thousands of men who vote for him will in less than three months have the strongest kind of reasons in their pockets for begging somebody to kick them.

But McKinley is not going to be elected.—St. Louis Republic.

It is odd to find so many big employers of labor trying to tell the workingmen what is best for them. Great reforms always have come from the masses, open world's history where you may.

Needs Explanation.

Mexico is not heaven, but it is true that there are more Americans going to Mexico than there are Mexicans coming to the United States. It is also true that no Mexican capital is invested in this country while millions of American capital is invested in Mexico. What is the explanation of these strange facts?—Cedar Rapids Gazette.

It is as sensible to say that money shall be made only out of gold as it would be to say that the yard measure shall be made only out of ebony.

Workingmen For Bryan.

Mark Hanna's gang of hoboes have been hauled down to Canton as miners, glassworkers, tinplate men and almost every other class of laboring men, but still the true workingmen stand unitedly for Bryan.—Kansas City Times.

When a man pays back a gold dollar or an American dollar today for the dollar he borrowed 20 years ago, he is like the farmer who paid back a 150 pound hog for a 100 pound hog. Such a dollar is not an honest dollar.

Fictitious Value of Products.

One is almost moved to tears by the sight of New England manufacturers protesting with indignation against the wisdom or possibility of giving fictitious value to a product, when for the last 30 years they have drained the rest of the country and secured artificial prices by protective tariff laws.—W. J. Bryan in House of Representatives, Nov. 1, 1894.

THE NO CYCLING CLERGY

SHOULD PREACHERS RIDE THE BIKE BEFORE CLUB AGAIN?

The Thompson Street Scorchers Consider the Subject For the Third Time—Brudder Henderson's Telltale Statistics Change the Attitude of the Members.

"Gemlen of de club," said President Toots after the routine business had been cleared away at the last regular meeting, "I hev to announce de fact dat a sartin member of dis club has riz up to a queshun of privilege. Dat means dat he wants to reopen a subjick disposed of at a former meetin. De name of de pusson who has riz up am Silver Plated Henderson, an de subjick am 'Should Preachers of de Gospel Ride de Bike?' We had de queshun befo' us on two occashuns, an arter a full an free debate it was decided dat it didn't do any moral harm fur a preacher to ride de wheel. Brudder Henderson wasn't heah dat eavenin, an he now demands de right to submit sartin statistics which he has gathered up."

The Said Statistics.

The secretary then read the statistics as follows:

"Rev. John Coontree of Kentucky was a pillar of the church and had saved 10,000 souls. After four lessons on the bike he jabbed a hog with a pitchfork, kicked a mule over a fence and pounded his wife almost to death with a bed slat. Now in jail and hollering for gore.

"Rev. Chilblain Green of Virginia took two lessons on the bike at a camp meeting and then turned to and tore down seven tents and punched the head of six other preachers. Taken to jail; but it was the general opinion that he was possessed by satan.

"Rev. Chuckalong Jones of Ohio, who was known for 18 years as the Volcano Exhorter, and his voice when singing or praying could be heard three miles against the wind, took a spin on a bike down a long hill, and after he came to he set fire to a church and went into the business of selling root beer.

"Rev. Greentree Wharton of Indiana was so good that he wouldn't eat strawberries on Sunday and stopped his clock at sunrise so as to give it a rest on the Lord's day. A stranger left a bike with him for three days and satan impelled him to ride it. Is now in jail, charged with seven different crimes, and if he escapes hanging will be a maniac all his life."

Only Sample Cases.

Brother Henderson, in arising to defend his statistics, stated that they were only sample cases culled at random from hundreds which could be found in the daily papers. How on earth the club could have debated this question and overlooked these statistics was more than he could account for. Here was a matter concerning the very foundations of morality and society, and yet the club had passed it over as if it was of no more account than voting the sum of 15 cents to buy a rabbit's foot.

He had understood that certain members opposed the use of the bike by preachers on the ground that it detracted from the dignity of the cloth and lowered their standard, while others had vigorously denied that such was the case. He had come to the meeting loaded with a big gun for b'ar and a small gun for woodchuck. He would now fire off his small gun:

"The Rev. Cæsar Higginbottom of Illinois, after five lessons on the bike, went around pinching the sisters' ears and patting them on the back, and one of them put his eye out with the ferule of a blue cotton umbrella.

"The Rev. Moses Skupanong of New Jersey took two lessons on the bike and eloped with his own wife, thinking she was the hired girl. When he discovered the fraud, he broke her jaw and was sent to jail for 30 days."

Were Not These Enough?

Brother Henderson said he could go on with these statistics until night faded into daylight, but were not these enough? Did the club want anything further to satisfy the most capricious member that it had taken a wrongful position and could not get out of it too soon? He was willing to see preachers swing the club, put up the bells, jump the bar or ride a bucking mule, and he didn't know that it would do any harm for preachers to put on the gloves and scrap a little, but as for riding a bike—nit!

Professor Hindfoot, who had been one of the preachers' champions at the other meeting, now asked that the question might be decided in the negative. He was even then giving a preacher lessons in the art, and the idea that the man might suddenly hop off the saddle and kick a dog or throw stones at a church almost paralyzed him.

Several others spoke to the same effect, and, the question being put to a vote, it was unanimously resolved that no member of the cloth should tackle the bike until it had been ascertained what was wrong with it. M. QUAD.

What His Wife Heard.

Smythe (half asleep as the alarm clock goes off at 6 a. m.)—Say, Billy, if that's my wife at the phone, tell her I'm out and won't be back for two hours.—Truth.

A Strong Resemblance.

Visitor—How much the baby resembles its mother!

Father—Yes; it talked when it was only 6 months old.—Harlem Life.

The End of the Flirtation.

He (sadly)—And I must forget everything?

She—Yes, even our number in town.—Truth.

Tying Her Shoe.

What the pride and what the glory,
 What the pomp and lordly airs,
What the song and what the story
 With my humble task compares?
Knowing well that I adore her,
 Quick to any service do.
On my knees I bow before her
 When I tie Priscilla's shoe.

Fumbling with the dainty laces,
 Conscious of my awkward pose,
Well advanced her toe she places,
 Till a little glimpse of hose
Shows beneath her gown's rich hemming.
 Then I knot the strings anew,
While such fashions I'm condemning
 When I tie Priscilla's shoe.

Awkwardly I seek to fashion
 Bow that somehow never comes,
While she views with mild compassion
 All my fingers turned to thumbs.
Yet I feel an exultation
 When my pleasant task is through,
And I bless the situation
 When I tie Priscilla's shoe.
 —Roy Farrell Greene in Truth.

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STATUE OF GRANT.

Magnificent Bronze Piece Soon to Be Erected In Philadelphia.

The bronze statue of General Grant will be the next beautiful art work erected and unveiled in Fairmount park. It is to be located on the east river drive at the point where the Fountain Green drive winds up under the stone bridge of the Reading railroad, about half a mile above Girard avenue bridge. The granite face of the bridge between the two piers will be the background.

Already work has been commenced on the pedestal, and as quickly as possible the statue will be put in place. The date of the unveiling has not yet been fixed, but when it takes place it will probably surpass anything of the kind ever before attempted by the Fairmount Park Art association.

In the statue Grant sits deep in thought. Clay or bronze could not give a stronger picture of the contained, resolute, impassive soldier. The horse reflects his master's patience and firmness.

The general wears field clothes, heavy cavalry boots, a close buttoned coat and the long cloak that he wore after he was placed at the head of the army. It falls in fine, sculpturesque folds over the horse's back and accentuates the grim determination of the whole statue.

The cost of the statue is not the least interesting part of its story, and a rather startling part to those who do not know much about bronze statues. Immortality in brass is not to be had for nothing. When everything is paid for, pedestal and all, the monument will have cost about $30,000, perhaps $1,000 or $2,000 more than that.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

A FORTY YEAR CLOCK.

This One Will Not Have to Be Wound Again Until 1936.

There are clocks that go eight days, some that go a month and others that go not at all, but there is only one clock that will keep good time 40 years without winding, and that has just been built in Chicago.

Purdy Campbell, a Chicago jeweler, made up his mind that he had 40 years of his life before him. He figured on this basis that he would, during the rest of his life, spend about 60 days of his valuable time winding the clock, to say nothing of time and temper lost through forgetting it. Then he decided to make a clock that would have to be wound but once in 40 years.

He spent his odd minutes at the task and has succeeded in producing a wonderful piece of mechanism—the only one of its kind in the world. It is 15 inches in diameter and weighs 75 pounds.

The movement is geared so that the barrel wheel containing the mainspring revolves once in 2½ years. When this wheel has made 16 revolutions, somebody will have to give the key 17 turns. The clock will then be wound for another 40 years. The first wheel from the barrel wheel crowds around at the rate of one turn a year. The dial plate is six inches in diameter.

Every part of this clock, this near approach to perpetual motion, was made by Mr. Campbell, and the work took most of his leisure for 24 months. The movement is full jeweled.

The clock will be put in a hermetically sealed case, and it will work in a vacuum, thus lessening friction and preventing the oil from drying. It will be impossible for dust to get into the works.—Exchange.

WOMAN'S STRUGGLE.

All women work:
Some in the homes.
Some in church, and some in the whirl of society.

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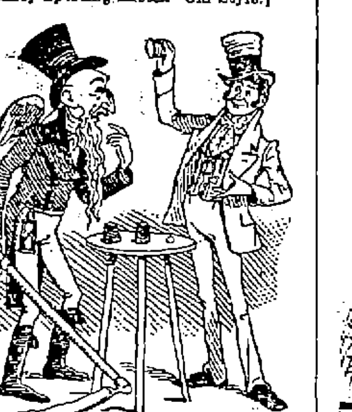

—Punch.

Forgotten.

What changes mark a single year!
 How favors smile and flee!
You mention Trilby and they sneer
 And murmur, "Who is she?"
 —Washington Star.

A Terrible Time.

Never seen the like of it—
 Sich a time last year.
Woman 'lected sheriff,
 'Nuther 'lected mayor.

'Nather one wuz coroner
 (Tellin of you fac's).
'Nuther wuz commissioner,
 'Nuther took the tax.

Never seen the like of it.
 Tell you, it wuz queer!
Tax collector went eroun
 An gossiped 'bout the mayor.

Mayor—she got so pipin mad—
 Broke a china cup,
Called the marshal in an locked
 The tax collector up.

Sheriff went to takin sides.
 Said 'twuz hard ter bear.
Went an swore a warrant out.
 Served it on the mayor.

Then the new commissioner
 Tried ter run the town.
Coroner, she come erlong
 An sorter called her down.

Never seen the like of it.
 (Don't you breathe a breath.)
Coroner sat on the lot
 An smothered 'em to death.
 —Atlanta Constitution.

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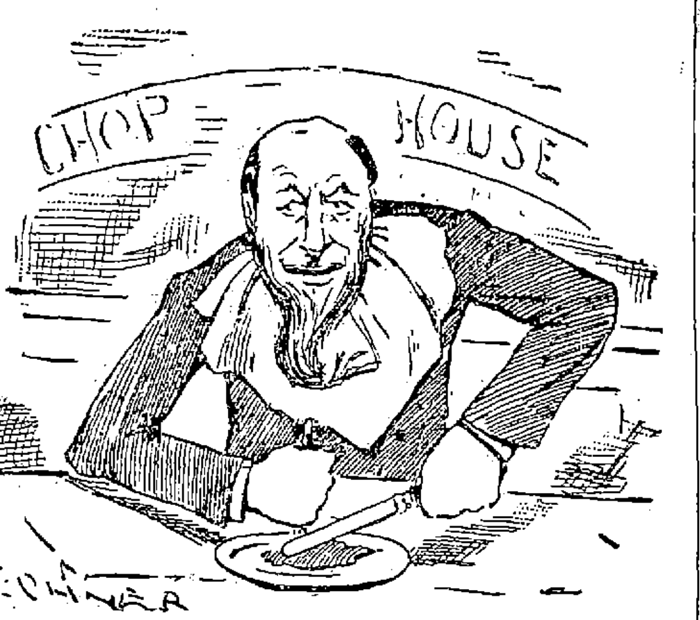

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PLAN OF ACTION

Of Great Powers Concerning Turkish Empire.

THERE WILL BE NO OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE

If Sultan is Able to Preserve Order.

London, Oct. 2.—It would seem that the gaunt spectre that has been stalking before the eyes of affrighted Europe as presaging war has been laid to rest. It may now be hoped that the danger has been conjured by diplomacy, which alone was capable of dealing safely and adequately with the problem.

There is good reason for believing that a very important agreement has been arrived at between the great powers, and that all danger of a European war has, for the present, passed away. It is certain that the interviews between the czar and Lord Salisbury at Balmoral have borne good fruit.

According to this information it is not yet known what arrangements have been made for the contingency of serious disturbances in Constantinople and of further disorder in Asia Minor, but, assuming that the sultan's government shows itself able to preserve order and prevent evil deeds, either by Armenian conspirators or excited Mussulman mobs, the great powers will not forcibly interfere in Turkish affairs.

Talked of Dynamiters and Armenia.

London, Oct. 2.—Henry Asquith, addressing his constituents at Leven, declared that when he left office in June, 1895, no medical reasons existed for releasing the Irish dynamiters. In this matter, he said, the Tory government appeared to enjoy advantages which were denied to the Liberals. If the Liberal government had liberated these men, and a new plot had been discovered so quickly, there would have been a universal roar of incredulity and indignation. Regarding Armenia, Mr. Asquith said that if the massacres of Armenians had occurred in the dark ages there would have been a crusade as a result. He urged that coercion should be used, and that the sultan should be removed, but he admitted that force employed by England would not be safe without the co-operation of Russia.

Others May Go Out.

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—It is believed that a general strike of the members of the railway organizations on the Canadian Pacific railroad is imminent. Mass meetings of trainmen, firemen, conductors, engineers and trackmen at Ottawa and other divisional points passed resolutions of sympathy with the railway telegraphers, and expressed a willingness to go out on strike with them. Grand officers of the different organizations were called upon to call out their members if a peaceful settlement could not be effected.

Two Veritable Death Dealers.

Athens, Oct. 2.—The Russian barbotte ironclad, Alexander II, flying the flag of Admiral Andrieff, and the turretted cruiser Navarin, have arrived at Piraeus, the seaport of this city. The Alexander II carries two 12-inch 50-ton guns, four 9-inch 19-ton guns, eight 6-inch guns and eight smaller guns, and has five torpedo tubes. The Navarin carries four 12-inch 52-ton guns, eight 6-inch guns, and 14 smaller quick-fire guns, and has six torpedo tubes.

Big Decrease In Gold.

Paris, Oct. 2.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France, issued yesterday, shows the following changes, as compared with the previous account: Notes in circulation increased 95,250,000 francs; treasury accounts current increased 13,075,000 francs; gold on hand decreased 18,800,000 francs; bills discounted increased 151,925,000 francs; silver in hand decreased 1,425,000 francs.

Spaniards Clearing Out.

Madrid, Oct. 2.—The Spanish government is taking active steps to check the wholesale immigration of families who are unable to pay the forfeit of 200 pesetas ($400) to redeem their sons from military service in Cuba. Such forfeits, the correspondent adds, realized nearly £1,500,000 for the treasury in 1895.

Almost Too Good to Be True.

London, Oct. 2.—The Vienna correspondent of The Daily Mail telegraphs to his paper as follows: "The powers have agreed upon a pacific settlement of the eastern question, honorable to all parties and amply guaranteeing the security of the Armenians."

Troops Going to Madagascar.

Paris, Oct. 2.—The Gaulois says that in view of the disturbed state of affairs in the island of Madagascar, 12,000 troops will be dispatched there after the fetes which are to be held in honor of the visit of the czar and czarina to Paris.

Bohemian Strike Spreading.

Vienna, Oct. 2.—Six thousand miners have joined the strike which is in progress throughout the coal regions of North Bohemia. The strike was originated by omladinists, and not by socialists, as was at first reported.

Ten Thousand Deaths From Fever.

Merv, Turkestan, Oct. 2.—A malignant fever, similar to that which appeared in 1893, has ravaged Turkestan for the past two months. Ten thousand persons have died from the fever, most of the victims being children.

Will Discuss Gould's Letter.

London, Oct. 2.—The Yacht Racing association, at its meeting on Oct. 9, will consider the letter of Howard Gould, referring to the examination made of his yacht Niagara without his knowledge or consent.

Half a Town Gone.

Paris, Tex., Oct. 2.—Half of the business portion of Ladonia, 30 miles southwest of this city, was destroyed by fire, which originated in a hotel. The landlady and two others perished in the flames.

Requisition Papers Wanted.

Providence, Oct. 2.—Detective Nickerson, yesterday, arrested Abram Winitsky, as a fugitive from justice, on charges made by Springfield (Mass.) authorities. Winitsky will decline to leave the state without requisition papers.

CHANDLER ON SILVER.

"Thoughtless Act" Should Be Remedied by Speedy Remonetization.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 2.—Senator Chandler, last night, made public his reply to a letter from a man in Selma, Cal., asking his opinion of the "Crime of '73," as the alleged demonetization of silver at that time is termed by many prominent silver men. Senator Chandler, in his reply, says the anti-silver legislation of 1873 was not a crime, but merely a "thoughtless act." His letter concludes as follows:

"Not until 1893 were England's India mints closed to silver coinage, and not until Sept. 12, 1896, at Bar Harbor, did Secretary Carlisle proclaim the obligation of the United States to reclaim every silver dollar on demand with the gold dollar. What the complete effect will be of this wholly blotting out all the silver coin of the world as money of final redemption, and measuring the world's value only by the $4,000,000,000 of the world's gold coin now in existence, remains to be seen. I think it will be ruinous to debtors and owners of real estate and personal chattels. Money lenders may reap a harvest. It does not seem to me to be worth while to denounce anybody for the thoughtless legislation of 1873. The wise course will be, after McKinley's election, to work earnestly, without crimination or recrimination, to secure the remonetization of silver and the restoration of bimetallism."

Permanent Census Bureau Favored.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, and in charge of closing the work on the 11th census, says in his annual report to the secretary of the interior, that the clerical work of the census office is now substantially complete, and the tables are in the hands of the printers. Mr. Wright says he will be ready to report to congress by December a plan for a permanent census bureau. He says he has been in correspondence with statisticians relative to a uniform census of the civilized nations of the world in 1900, and expects to submit a report to congress at the coming session.

Professor Laroux Tempts Fate.

Willimantic, Conn., Oct. 2.—The three days' fair of the Willimantic Fair association closed yesterday afternoon. Professor Laroux and his wife, who were to make a balloon ascension and parachute descent, fell when about 40 feet in the air, by the rope connecting the parachute breaking. Mrs. Laroux was dragged on the ground a considerable distance, and was unconscious for two hours. She escaped without any broken bones. Professor Laroux attempted another ascension later, but his balloon caught fire, as it was being inflated, and was entirely consumed.

Two Score Took a Tumble.

Burlington, Ia., Oct. 2. — The semi-centennial exercises yesterday were marred by an accident which happened to the reviewing stand erected near the Union depot for the convenience of Vice President Stevenson, Governor Drake of Iowa and his personal staff and some 40 other prominent people, in reviewing the parade. Just as the head of the parade reached the point, with almost no warning the entire stand collapsed, throwing its distinguished occupants to the ground, a distance of 15 feet. The majority of those on the stand were bruised more or less.

Schooners In Collision.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Oct. 2.—The schooner S. P. Blackburn of Bath, Me., Baltimore for Portland, Me., reports that on Sept. 29, about 40 miles S. S. E. from Fire Island, with the vessel close hauled on the starboard tack in a light wind, she was run into by the schooner Fred Gower, bound south in ballast. The Blackburn had her cutwater and all headgear carried away, together with the spanker and mizzen rigging. The chain plates and rails were broken, and much minor damage done around decks. The damage to the Gower is unknown.

Crossed the Frontier.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 2.—Duval West, assistant United States district attorney, received a telegram from San Elizario saying that Mexican officers, fully armed, crossed the river to San Elizario and arrested deserters from the Mexican army. The American officers at San Elizario objected to it, and caused the Mexican officers to release their prisoners, leave their arms on this side, and return to Mexico. Mr. West will report the matter in full to the department at Washington.

Mrs. Blackstock Divorced.

Newport, R. I., Oct. 2.—In the supreme court here yesterday, Emeline F. Blackstock was granted a divorce and given the custody of her two children. Her husband, George T. Blackstock, is one of the most influential men in Canada, being a queen's counsellor, and retained by the Canadian Pacific railroad. Neglect to provide was the ground for action.

Torpedo Boat Launched.

Baltimore, Oct. 2.—The first of the trio of new torpedo boats, which are being built at the Columbian Iron works for the United States navy, was launched yesterday. There were no government officials present except the naval constructors, delegated to superintend the building of the vessels.

Prepared For Long Struggle.

Boston, Oct. 2.—Over 2000 men and women employed in the manufacture of clothing are on strike, in an endeavor to better their condition. The strikers claim that the contractors have violated their agreement, made last year, in nearly every particular, and that wages are at starvation point. As soon as the strikers left their work they resorted to their headquarters, where a mass meeting was held and preparations for a long struggle were completed. A number of committees were appointed, and every factory where the strike is in progress will be picketed by union forces. The strikers are confident of ultimate success, as this is the commencement of the busy season with them, and they claim many of the contractors, if obliged to remain idle for any length of time, will be driven into the bankruptcy court.

Disastrous Train Wreck.

Pittsburg, Oct. 2.—A freight wreck occurred at Filson station, on the eastern slope of the mountains, on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, yesterday. The entire train crew, consisting of the engineer, fireman, conductor, two brakemen and a flagman, and two tramps, who were stealing a ride, were killed. Thirty-four cars, which were loaded with coal, together with the engine and caboose, are piled up on the track. Whether the train got beyond the control of the brakemen in the tunnel is not known, but experienced railroad men say that owing to the condition of the track from the effects of the storm, it would be almost an impossibility to control such a long train on the steep grade, which is 17 miles long and about 125 feet to the mile.

DEATH SUMMONS

Prevents a Peculiar Marriage in Connecticut.

PROSPECTIVE GROOM WAS 80 YEARS OLD.

Father-in-Law Drops Dead at Wedding.

Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 2.—David Wakeman, over 80 years old, and wealthy, was to have been married to Miss Anna Burdette, his housekeeper, and she had secured a license from the town clerk. James Staples, who had charge of the old man's affairs, heard of the license and hurried to the house to prevent the wedding. Wakeman was there unconscious and died soon after. The old man's wife died 20 years ago, and he took Anna Burdette from an orphan asylum to keep house for him. She has remained with him ever since, and two years ago gave birth to a child. Wakeman has supported both mother and child. Miss Burdette's action was advised by friends. The old man is said to have been worth $150,000.

Gloom at Wedding Ceremony.

New Haven, Oct. 2.—William F. Skinner, a former member of the firm of Skinner & Sperry, music dealers, came from Guilford yesterday, where he resided, to attend the wedding of his son, William E., and Miss Bertha Anderson Booth, at the bride's home. Immediately after the marriage, and while the congratulations were being made to the newly wedded couple, the father of the groom dropped dead of heart failure. He was 80 years old. The projected wedding tour was interrupted to make arrangements for the funeral.

Testimony Against Captain Hart.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2.—Captain John D. Hart, who was taken into custody on information furnished by George W. Comley, charged with violating the neutrality laws by shipping arms and ammunition to Cuba on the Laurada, was given a hearing yesterday before United States Commissioner Edmunds. Comley was Captain Hart's chief accuser. He testified that Captain Hart had hired him to ship on the Laurada last August. He told how the Laurada had left here Aug. 6, and sailed around to New York, where men were taken on board from the Richard K. Fox. There was also a lot of ammunition taken on board from lighters. After Comley had told in detail about the landing of the Laurada's cargo in Cuba, Commissioner Edmunds held Mr. Hart in $1000 bail for further hearing.

New Plan of Campaign.

New York, Oct. 2. — Commander Booth-Tucker has originated a new plan for Salvation Army work. He will start a floating army barracks, to cruise from port to port, doing rescue work by the way, rescuing sailors from the clutches of the harpies. The boat will be commanded and manned by seamen selected from the ranks of the army, will carry the army flag, and be painted in the army color, blue. Commander Tucker proposes to borrow or hire a man-of-war from the United States government. If a cruiser cannot be obtained, he will either raise funds to build one or hire a superannuated Atlantic liner.

Corn Cheaper Than Coal.

Minneapolis, Oct. 2.—Corn will be burned for fuel this winter in many sections of Minnesota and South Dakota. Coal is $2 per ton dearer than last year, and with corn at 11 cents a bushel, it is much more valuable as fuel than as food. It makes an excellent fire, and an ear of corn makes more heat than its bulk in wood. In North Dakota coal is so high-priced that the mining of lignite has been greatly stimulated. This coal is abundant and easily mined. It is rich in carbon, but has a great amount of ash and moisture. For fuel it is worth two-thirds its bulk in anthracite, and costs half as much.

Terrible Double Tragedy.

Holgate, O., Oct. 2.—The family of Mrs. J. P. Ricker, a widow, consisted of the widow and her daughter, Anna, 17 years old, a son, and a boarder named Nathan E. Spellman. The latter came home in a beastly state of intoxication, and was reprimanded by Mrs. Ricker. Spellman, while the son was at school, and Mrs. Ricker out attending to the stock, went into the house. He found the daughter ironing. What followed can only be surmised. Anna Ricker was attacked and her skull crushed. Spellman then cut his throat. There is no possible hope of Anna's recovery. Spellman is dead.

On an Important Mission.

New York, Oct. 2. — A delegation of Frenchmen is here to make a study of the labor movement in this country. The delegation was sent by the Musee Sociale, an institution founded by the Comte de Chambrieu to make a special study of social and economic questions. The delegation will be here a month, and will visit Boston, Philadelphia, Indianapolis, St. Louis, Chicago and Detroit.

Won't Pay Over $2.50.

Leadville, Colo., Oct. 2.—The miners held a largely attended meeting, but the session was strictly an executive one. From what leaked out it is believed that it was decided to stand firm. Several mine managers are preparing to start up, and state that they can get all the men they need at the $2.50 scale.

Bobbin Works Insolvent.

Newport, Vt., Oct. 2.—The Union bobbin works, employing 150 men and boys, has been forced into insolvency. All the help are out of work, but they expect that if the factory passes into other hands, it will start up again.

Kid McCoy Heard From.

Buffalo, Oct. 2.—A local paper prints a letter written by Kid McCoy, under date of Aug. 30, from Johannesburg, South Africa, thus showing where the middleweight has hidden himself of late. He writes: "The country is overrun with fighters, and I think that, after October, fighting will take a back seat, or be stopped. Bell Hefferman and Bill Dougherty, two Australian middleweights, fight Sept. 5, for the middleweight championship and $2500 a side. I fight the winner for $5000 a side, Oct. 3. Then I shall return to God's country."

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FROM OUR 5 O'CLOCK EDITION Of Yesterday.

POLITICAL NOTES.

It is the talk in political circles that the Hon. George Fred Williams will ask Acting-Governor Wolcott to discuss with him the issues of the campaign, including the money question, and the proposition to have biennial elections in this state.

An effort will be made to have the discussion assume the form of a joint debate. Although Mr. Williams' plan of campaign is not definitely decided upon, it is quite certain that he will make a vigorous attack upon county rings and the extravagance of republican administration.

The acting governor intends to stump the state from Berkshire to the Cape. It will be a short campaign and it will open officially Oct. 7 at Music hall, when Thos. B. Reed will be the speaker of the evening.

Treasurer Harry J. Jaquith of the Bryan-Sewall-Williams club acknowledges the receipt for the family of James Hughes of the following sums:

Previously acknowledged	$240.00
Philip J. Doherty	5.00
Linwood S. Pratt	5.00
Daniel J. Gallagher, Newton	5.00
A Friend, Brookline	5.00
John H. Harrington, Lowell	5.00
Total	$265.00

DEATHS.

McKEON—Mary McKeon, aged 27 years, wife of James McKeon, the well known motorman, died this morning at St. John's hospital, after an illness of three weeks. She was the sister of John Hughes, the well known member of the Y. M. C. I.

BARRY—Charles Barry, child of Michael and Kate Barry, died last evening at their home, 291 Fayette street.

SEXTON—Mary S. Sexton, aged 1 year died yesterday at her parents' home, 22 Chestnut street. The funeral took place this afternoon and burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

BILLERICA NEWS.

Today Rev. M. J. Savage leaves for his new pastorate in New York city. Mrs. Savage and Miss Gertrude will leave in about two weeks, and the house, formerly the property of F. H. Parker, will be closed.

Next Monday Bert Faulkner will leave for Hartford, Ct., where he has a position with the Mutual Life Insurance company of New York.

Harry Wright, son of Selectman Wright, has been appointed assistant postmaster of Billerica.

LOCAL NOTES.

Last month there were 228 marriage licenses issued.

Mr. James H. O'Connor of North Chelmsford, left on Tuesday morning for New York city, where he is to resume his studies at Columbia college.

There was base ball at Wannalancit park yesterday between teams captained by Clerk John J. Dowd of the St. James hotel and "Too Much" Johnson of the Tivoli. Captain Dowd's team won by a score of 23 to 12.

Bradford In Lawrence.

Rev. Park A. Bradford addressed a largely attended silver rally in Lawrence last evening and the Sun of that city comments upon his remarks as follows;

"Rev. Park A. Bradford's address in this city last evening was a notable contribution to the many excellent ones already delivered here in favor of Bryan and Sewall. We hope to hear the reverend gentleman again."

Police Court—Hadley, J.

The dock in police court was crowded this morning.

Judge Hadley had quite a number of drunks to dispose of.

Elizabeth Hall got six months at the state farm; Peter Kelley was sent to jail for four months; Robert Hall received three months at the same place, and to kind of balance things Joseph Paledo was sent to the workhouse to spend 20 days.

Fred Latulippe, Clement Ducheme and Edward Perrin were charged with breaking into the shop of L. M. Golden. The first two were held in $500 each for the Superior court and the third was continued till tomorrow.

Maurice Hannafin and Powell Ray had a "mutual" disagreement on Broadway yesterday and it cost each one of them $9 this morning. Several continued cases were called for trial.

A Pleasant Musicale.

A pleasant musicale was held at the residence of Miss Viola Cheney on Chapel street, last evening. There were piano selections by Misses Melvina Dare, Anna Russell and Viola Cheney; banjo selections by the Misses Tobin; songs by the Misses Gage, Gertrude Bickford; readings, Miss Harriet Tyrrell; dances, Miss Cheney and Miss Tyrrell and Baby Tyrrell; violin solos by Alfred Dare. Refreshments were served during the evening. The affair was in honor of Charles and Page Cheney of Vermont.

Fr. Garin's Monument.

The unveiling of the Fr. Garin monument, which is to take place on October 21, promises to be a grand event. Speeches will be made by Mayor Courtney and others. In the evening after the monument exercises a grand banquet will be held in St. Jean Baptiste church. Mayor Courtney, Philip J. Farley, Esq., and Hon. Charles D. Palmer will make addresses. Rev. Fr. Forget is hustling for the success of the occasion.

Marriage Intentions.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today today, was Ovide Ange 18, to Rosanna Heroux 20.

A Pretty Sight.

The Imperial Cloak and Suit store at the corner of Merrimack and Bridge streets does not lay claim to having the largest store in the city but it would be hard to find any prettier display of cloaks, capes and suits than are shown in this cosy little store. Mr. Dragon, the proprietor, has a peculiar knack of trimming his window to attract attention and his skill is not only displayed in the window trimming but within the store and a person who will call at this place of business will surely speak words of praise for the pretty appearance of the display. The store is trimmed with wild flowers and foliage and autumn leaves making a beautiful effect. Their grand opening is to continue the rest of the week. Every lady should call at the corner of Bridge and Merrimack street, at the Imperial Cloak and Suit store.

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He reads another.

He sees new ones wherever he looks.

Some of the writers are in his own town.

Some in his own business.

Some he can see.

Some he can write to.

Some have been cured of his own ailment.

Some of other ailments.

All are grateful.

All are glad to tell suffering people how Puritana gave them relief.

They are approachable folks, and their voluntary testimonials count.

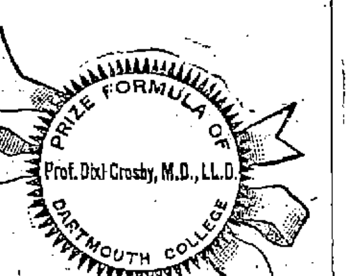
Some live in town.

Some in the country.

Some hold office.

Some vote.

Patients



that all are honest and sincere.

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This is a fact.

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Puritana is the discovery of Prof. Dixi Crosby.

He was the greatest New Hampshire physician of his day.

He was at the head of the Dartmouth Medical College for a generation.

He used common sense, and found that disease or health came to the body through the stomach.

He scientifically compounded a stomach medicine from the harmless products of nature.

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With a sound stomach no one can help being well.

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Chemists say that Puritana is a good medicine.

They also say it is well made.

The materials are the purest and best that money can buy.

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Their customers buy it and are more than satisfied with its effects.

What the people say about Puritana you have read before, and you will read again.

The thousands of Puritana cures are becoming better known every day.

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They have been proven before the tribunal of Public Opinion.

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Corrected to Sept. 28, 1896.

TRAINS LEAVE MIDDLESEX STREET DEPOT, LOWELL.

For Boston, at 6.50, 8.16, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05 12.45, 2.30, 2.55, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 4.15, 5.30, 7.23 p. m.
For Lawrence, 6.30, 9.25, 10.50 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p.m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Haverhill, 6.30, 6.50, 8.30, 9.25 a. m.; 12.05, 2.30, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10, 6.15, 7.00, 9.30, †11.25 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.15 a. m., 12.05, 5.30, 7.25 p. m.
For Salem and Lynn, 8.30 a. m., 1.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Newburyport and Amesbury, 6.30 a. m, 12.05, 2.30, 4.05, 6.15 p. m.
For Exeter and Dover, 6.50, 8.30 a. m.; 12.05, 3.40, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p.m.
For Rochester and Alton Bay, 6.30 a. m.; 12.05, 4.05 p. m.
For Somersworth, N. H., Salmon Falls, Saco, Old Orchard and Portland, 6.50, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Augusta, Bath, Waterville, 8.30 a.m.; 12.05, 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For Lewiston, 8.30 a. m; 12.05, 4.05, 5.10 p. m.
For Bangor, Belfast, Skowhegan, Rockland, 8.30 a. m., 5.10 p. m. SUNDAYS, 5.30 p. m.
For St. John, N. B., Halifax, N. S., Montreal, and Quebec, 6, 0.8.30, a. m., 5.10 p. m. (5.10 does not run Saturdays); SUNDAY, 5.30 p. m.
For Eastport and St. John (per steamer), on Mondays and Thursdays, 12.05 p. m.
For Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, Bar Harbor, Jonesport and Machiasport (via steamer Frank Jones from Rockland), Tuesdays and Friday at 5.10 p. m.
†Wednesdays and Saturdays only.

Southern Division.

On and After Sept. 28, 1896, Trains Leave Merrimack Street Depot, Lowell, as Follows:

For Boston, 5.45, 6.30, §6.50, *7.45, *8.50, †9.00, *9.40, 11.00 a. m.; 1.40, ¶3.00, 4.25, ¶5.35 p. m. SUNDAYS, §4.5 a. m.

Trains Leave Middlesex Street Station, Lowell, as follows:

For Boston, 5.44, 5.53, ¶6.52, §5.61, §7.13, §*7.27, 7.33, 7.40, *7.48, *8.57, 9.03, *9.30 11.03, 11.42 a. m; 12.16, 1.43, ¶3.03, *4.03, 4.10, 4.28, 5.22, ¶5.38, 6.24, 7.47, 8.45 p. m. SUNDAYS, §*7.18, §*7.27, 8.48, *9.10 a. m; §4.25, §5.58 p. m.
For Woburn, 6.30, §7.01, 7.33, 7.45, 11.00 a.m.; 1.40, 4.28, 8.45 p. m. SUNDAYS, 8.45 a. m., §4.25, §5.58 p. m.
*Express. §Northern Depot Only. ¶Via Bedford.
For Lawrence, 6.30, 10.00 a. m; 4.15 p. m.
For Salem, and Way Stations, §7.33 a. m.; 1.28, 5.53 p. m.
For Ayer Junction, and Way Stations, 7.10 a. m.; 12.00, 5.00 and 6.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2.15 p. m.
For Amherst, Milford and Wilton, 9.18 a. m.; 1.00, 3.43, 5.42 p. m. SUNDAYS 2 p. m.
For Greenfield, Peterboro', Bennington, Hillsboro' and Keene, 9.13 a. m. and 3.43 p. m. SUNDAYS, to Greenfield, 2.00 p. m.
For Nashua, Manchester and Concord, 7.40 9.18, 9.42, 10.09 a.m; 12.00, 1.00, 1.40, 1.54, 3.43, 5.42, 6.20, 6.13, 8.43 p. m. SUNDAYS 10.09 a. m. (to Nashua only) 3.08 a. m., 2.00, 6.02, 8.12, 8.43 p.m.
For Franklin, Lebanon and White River Junction, 9.18, 9.42 a. m; 12.09, 1.40 5.42, 18.13 p. m.
For Warner, Bradford, Sunapee, Newport, (N. H.), Claremont and Claremont Junction—7.40, 9.13 a. m; 1.40 p. m., 3.43 p. m., Saturday only till August 29th inclusive.
For St. Johnsbury and Lyndonville via Wells River—9.42 a.m; 1.40, †8.43 p. m.
For Montpelier, Montreal, Essex Junction, Burlington and St. Albans, via Central Vermont line—9.42 a. m.; 12.09, †8.13 p. m.
For Montreal and Quebec, via Montreal and Boston Air Line—9.42 a. m.; †8.43 p. m.
Quebec Express via Plymouth and Sherbrooke—1.54 p. m., except Saturday and Sunday, 8.43 p.m., except Saturday.
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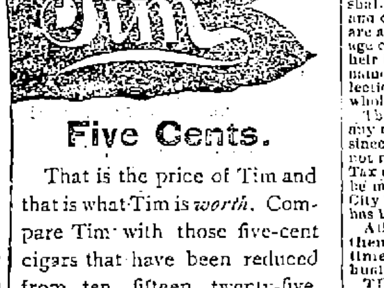

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Examination for Evening School Teachers.

There will be an examination of candidates for positions as teachers of evening schools at the High School building, Kirk street, Saturday, Oct. 3, beginning at 8.30 a. m. in reading, writing, spelling, English grammar and language. Applicants must be at least twenty years of age to obtain positions. Certificates will be given without examination to applicants who taught in the evening schools last year, to graduates of colleges and of the Lowell High school, and to those who have passed an examination for the Lowell Training school.

A. K. WHITCOMB,
Secretary of the School Committee.

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

CHANGE OF TIME

October 4th, 1896.

Sunday train for Boston, Lawrence, Haverhill, via Western Division, now leaving at 8.45 p. m., will leave at 7.25 p. m.

This will be the last train for Boston Sundays.

Weekday trains for Boston, Southern Division, at 4 p. m., will leave at 3.55 p. m. At 6.24 p. m., will leave at 6.21 p. m.

Trains for the North, now leaving at 9.42 a. m., 1.42, 5.42, 8.13 and 8.43 p. m. will leave at 9.40 a. m., 1.40, 5.40, 8.11 and 8.40 p. m.

Train for Ayer and way stations, now leaving at 5.47 p. m. will leave at 5.42 p. m.

H. C. TAFT,
Gen'l Agent.

Did you know that BERTRAND, THE TAILOR, 24 Middle Street, Makes clothing for the best dressed people in town? Try him with an order for a Fall Suit or Overcoat.

TAXES

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1896.

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth, and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1896, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 21 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the 1st day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1896 IS $15.00 ON $1000.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a.m. to 3 p.m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 2 to Oct. 14, inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 16 to Oct. 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1896, and bring it with you.

CHARLES F. COBURN,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

IF YOU WANT A CASE Of the Leading Brands of LAGER, JONES' ALE, Or PORTER TELEPHONE. J. H. RILEY, Bottler, Nos. 96 and 102 Lakeview Avenue Telephone Number 474-4.

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DAVIS & NICKERSON, Tailors, 9 CENTRAL STREET. New Goods Arriving Every Week.

WANT COLUMN.

FOUND—That after 5000 cakes of "Sapro shine" guaranteed to clean silver, plant, brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. Not one cake returned yet. Ask your grocers and druggists for it.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—500 shares stock in active company for sale at $4 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1804, Boston.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendation; also good references. Address R, Sun office, Lowell, Mass.

TO RENT—House, newly painted inside and out, nine rooms, stable, two stalls, carriage house, hen house. Beautifully located between Broadway and Pawtucket street on Wilder. Apply to J. A. Green, 85 Merrimack street.

FOR SALE.—Near Westford and Lane streets, two tenement house, all modern improvements, 5000 feet of land; you can buy this place at a bargain. Call and see G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE.—Near Powell street, two story house, large lot of land; this is your chance to get a home and on easy terms. Price $1450. L. G. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A capable man of good address for local or travelling agent. Permanent position. Ellwanger & Barry, Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, near mills, good lot of land. Price $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Athan Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE.—On Westford street, cottage house, small barn, one acre of land; this is a bargain. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars. "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE.—In Pawtucketville, near new bridge, good two tenement house, large lot of land, always rented. Price $2500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write me at once, regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $18 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelop. Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

FOR SALE.—On line of electric road, small place of 16 acres of land, new cottage house; this is your chance. Price $1250. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—500 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.

New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 76 houses have been built in the last 8 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay, choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.

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GOOD NEWS

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We have just bought of the Manufacturer

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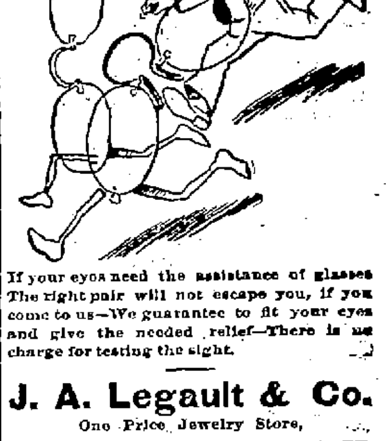

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THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—5:[illegible]; sets, 5:23.
Length of day—11:[illegible].
Moon rises—12:12 a. m.
Full sea—6:45 a. m.; 7:17 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy, and slightly cooler weather, with northerly winds.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON.

Southern Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 45	6 50	6 00	§7 07
6 30	7 45	6 31	7 53
6 50	8 08	6 40	§7 30
§7 01	7 58	8 00	9 11
*§7 18	8 02	*8 20	§9 10
*§7 27	8 12	*8 01	§9 49
§7 33	8 50	*9 30	§10 07
7 40	8 55	10 00	11 15
*7 45	8 35	10 47	11 58
*8 30	9 40	11 30	§12 07
9 03	10 41	12 00	§12 50
9 40	10 40	*1 00	§1 58
11 00	12 00	*1 15	§1 52
§11 42	12 25	2 00	3 01
§12 17	1 07	*3 00	§3 30
1 30	2 40	3 31	4 48
3 00	4 25	4 15	§5 32
*§4 00	4 45	4 50	§5 55
*4 19	4 55	*5 00	5 41
4 25	5 50	5 27	6 22
§5 22	6 15	5 50	7 05
6 21	6 55	6 15	7 51
*§6 26	7 10	*7 20	§8 10
*§7 47	8 20	*8 00	§9 19
§8 45	9 40	10 15	11 22
		§11 20	12 20

Sunday Trains.

§7 13	8 02	2 15	§3 05
§7 27	8 12	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	1 57
§5 10	10 10	5 00	5 53
§6 25	7 22	7 30	§8 11
§6 58	7 02	9 00	§9 45
		9 00	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 20	8 02	7 30	8 35
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 39	10 25	11 46
10 50	12 03	1 50	1 55
12 05	1 37	2 15	3 19
12 45	1 59	2 31	4 39
2 31	3 41	3 40	4 50
2 57	4 02	4 25	5 40
4 05	5 25	5 01	6 20
5 20	6 33	6 05	7 02
6 15	7 38	6 25	7 48
7 00	8 02	9 40	10 46
9 39	10 44	11 15	12 45

Sunday Trains.

8 15	9 27	8 01	9 13
12 05	1 27	11 47	12 58
1 15	5 25	5 00	6 27
7 30	8 50	8 30	9 40
8 45	9 05		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

*Express.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

LOCAL NEWS.

Next time try Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance. Donovan bl'd.

Taxes are due Oct. 1; interest begins Oct. 20.

An elegant mineral bath "Saproshino" for sale by grocers and druggists.

Send your orders for winter coal by postal or telephone to Rourke & Sullivan, 934 Gorham street.

Abbie M. Smith has a fine display of millinery at her store, 175 Merrimack street. The opening will be held today and tomorrow.

Do you keep a horse or cow? You can buy the best of grain, hay and bedding for either of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street. Try a barrel of his flour.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Special Church Services.

Today being the first Friday in the month, special services were held in all the Catholic churches. At the masses this morning there were many communicants.

It is stated that Rev. Michael O'Brien, Rev. William O'Brien and Rev. Fr. McManus will sail from Europe from this country tomorrow.

Good Templars' European Trip.

Arrangements have been completed for several hundred members of the independent Order of Good Templars from all parts of the United States to take an extended trip to Europe during next May, June and July. The tour will include England, Belgium, Germany and Switzerland, with a protracted stay at Zurich during the international convention, which will be held in June. After the convention quite a number of the Templars will make a special tour of Scandanavia, and then visit Stockholm during the session of the grand lodge. Henry Gase & Sons of New York, have charge of the arrangements.

BASE BALL.

Don't forget the Emerald-South End game at the Fair Grounds tomorrow. It will be a dandy. Billy Merritt will be umpire.

CRISP GOSSIP.

One of the finest landscape gardeners in this section is an inmate of the city farm. He has laid out a beautiful crescent and and star shaped flower bed in front of the men's hospital at the city institution.

"Charlie" Dempsey, who went out with the Andrew Mack company, is now with May Irwin in the "Widow Jones."

When Mr. Bryan was speaking in Providence, Monday, a little boy, was jammed in the crowd about 20 feet from the platform. A gentleman lifted the crying child in his arms to keep him from getting walked upon. Mr. Bryan saw the boy's predicament and he called out for the crowd to pass him up to the platform. "For you know, he may be a boy orator some day," added the Boy Orator. The lad was pushed along to the platform and remained there during the speech of Mr. Bryan.—Woonsocket Call.

Hugh Duffy took a big drop in batting this season. The old Lowell player now stands 34th in the list. "Joe" Kelley who once played with Lowell and is now with Baltimore is given a fielding average of .947 and Johnson, Louisville's second baseman, who once delighted Lowellians has a fielding average of .936.

Today and tomorrow will be observed as "ladies days" down town. The millinery establishments all have their richest raiment.

October started in bright and fair, then changed to dark and threatening.

Today is the 276th day of the year.

The moon's phases for this month are: New moon on the 6th, first quarter 13th, full moon 21st and last quarter 29th.

Did you ever notice the funny fall a man takes who starts to run up stairs and gets his umbrella tangled with his legs?

Twenty-six miles of asphalt pavement were laid in New York this year. Three years ago asphalt pavements cost $7 a yard in this country. Now the same work can be done for $2.50.

A good story is told of a new conductor on the L. and S. road. He was substituting on the Westford street route, and it is said that one day as the car was passing Ellingwood's store on the return trip, the new conductor jumped from the car, ran into Ellingwood's, yelled out "Westford street," and on his way back to the car, dropped the envelope containing the fares into the mail box. He thought he was at the car station all the time. You can't convince this man that he is absent-minded.

New Crop Teas.

We have just received several lines of new crop teas, which are very choice. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, No. 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

HUNDRED KILLED

By Storms Along the Florida Coast.

LOSS TO PROPERTY ESTIMATED IN MILLIONS.

Virginia and Georgia Suffered Heavy Losses.

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 2.—Railroad communication with the eastern and middle parts of the state has just been re-established, and harrowing tales are being received of the West India storm, which swept over the peninsula of Florida Tuesday night and Wednesday morning. It appears that the storm left the gulf and struck the coast about Cedar Keys, which is said to be almost completely wrecked. From this it swept in a northeasterly course, its diameter being about 40 miles across the state, doing fearful damage at the towns of Gainesville, High Springs, Newberry, Lake City, Branford, Callahan and many others. Brick and frame buildings were blown down, and near Callahan, several children were killed in a schoolhouse which was wrecked.

The wind is reported to have reached a velocity of 160 miles an hour, and there is widespread destruction in the path of the storm. It is impossible yet to learn how many persons were killed, but it is believed that the dead will be fully 100, and that many others were injured. Much damage is reported at Jacksonville, but no loss of life, as the center of the storm seems to have passed to the north of that city. The storm was not felt here, but after it left the gulf Tuesday night, a high bank of air rushed in from the north, blowing almost a gale, and lowering the temperature about 35 degrees. Later reports received last night show that the storm was a twisting tornado, that moved with great rapidity from the gulf to the Atlantic coast. In many places buildings were wrecked in less than a minute, and soon afterward the sun was shining brightly. The loss of property cannot now be estimated, but it is very heavy, not only in the towns, but on the farms, where the crops were destroyed.

Heavy Damage at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 2. — The work of counting up the loss and repairing the ravages of the storm continues, and as reports come in the widespread character of the damage wrought becomes even more apparent, no locality nor any of the surrounding country having escaped. About $133,500 is given as the total of the storm's damage within the city. The unroofing of so many houses caused a brisk demand for roofing tin, and sent the price up much above its normal value. The only loss of life in the city was occasioned by the falling of the Alert building, from the ruins of which the body of James Fitzgerald was taken. Several other persons were injured in the fall of this building.

Serious fears are entertained that there will be a flood in the Potomac river at this point. The weather bureau last night issued a special river bulletin, warning property owners along the river front that the water would rise rapidly during the next 24 hours, and that all property was in danger. The water is now six feet above the average.

Twelve Killed at Savannah.

Savannah, Oct. 2.—The worst of the tornado news from this city has been told. The number of deaths reported up to this time is 12, and there will probably be no other bodies found. The city has recovered entirely from the blow, and business is now going on without interruption. News from Tybee island is not encouraging. The Tybee railroad is badly damaged, and trains cannot reach the island. The wind cut a wide swath along the railroad track, destroying almost everything near it. Trees and grass were blown up by the ton and scattered all over the track. It is said that it is almost wholly buried under the debris, and it will take some time to clear it. The damage to property on the island is almost $30,000. The rice crop in Savannah and section will be shortened one-third by the storm. The loss in Savannah and section will be $1,050,000.

Sea Islands Suffer.

Savannah, Oct. 2.—Reports from the coast are meagre. The Sea islands along the coast of Georgia and South Carolina had almost a repetition of the storm of 1893. Almost every cottage and cabin in the wake of the storm was destroyed, but the water was not piled upon them as in 1893, consequently the suffering was not so severe. The fatalities on the Sea islands were not numerous, and were due to accidents from falling timbers or trees more than to water. Only those who happened to be caught out in boats were drowned. It is believed the number of fatalities on the Sea islands will not exceed 100. Twenty negroes were killed on the rye plantations by falling timbers. The Sea islands cotton crop is badly damaged.

Jury Cut Down Figures.

Farmington, Me., Oct. 2.—In the suit brought by Miss Stella Toothaker, a teacher of Phillips, Me., alleging slander, on the part of Charles E. Conant, claiming $5000 damages, the jury found a verdict for the plaintiff, and fixed the damages at $112.

Opening Thursday eve, Sept. 24, Les Miserable bowling alley and billiard hall, E. Merrimack street.

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WHITEHEAD'S WATERLOO.

Young Ten Eyck Won the Race by a Length and a Quarter.

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 2.—Joseph J. Whitehead, the amateur single scull champion of America, was defeated yesterday afternoon in a match race for a $100 gold watch by Edward H. Ten Eyck of the Wachusett Boat club of this city. The race was 1½ miles, with a turn, and was rowed over the old college course on Lake Quinsigamond. Ten Eyck's time was 9:58 2-5, the fastest that has ever been made by a single sculler over this course. About 5000 people, including a fair-sized contingent from Boston, witnessed the race, which was a most exciting one from the start to the finish.

Whitehead led from the start to the turn, but here Ten Eyck got the better of him, and squared away with a slight advantage. He increased his lead until he was three lengths to the good. Then, three-eighths of a mile from the finish, Whitehead made a grand spurt, and reduced the lead to 1¼, by which distance the Worcester sculler won. The race was a lively affair for the betting fraternity. The Boston men were wagered to a standstill shortly after they arrived at the lake, and about $5000 changed hands. Whitehead is not satisfied with the result, and wants to row his man again next spring.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The wheat market is exceptionally high at present.

Foreign refined sugars are taking trade from domestic refiners.

Joseph H. Jewett was badly burned by an exploding lamp at Westerly, R. I.

The members of the Venezuelan commission will resume their labors next week.

Joseph Nawahi, who has just died, was the chief supporter of the ex-queen of Hawaii.

Surplus earnings of the Union Pacific railroad for the past year were nearly $5,000,000.

Prince von Schoenburg-Hartenstein, vice president of the Oberhaus of the Austrian reichsrath, is dead.

The public schools of Hanover, N. H., have been closed for one week, by reason of the scarlet fever epidemic.

Convention of the American Electro-Therapeutic association adjourned to meet at Harrisburg next September.

Senator George F. Hoar of Massachusetts arrived at New York on the steamer Havel from Bremen and Southampton.

The Bar Harbor (Me.) house of Henry Sedley, a New York editor, was entered by thieves, and property valued at $350 was stolen.

Convicted on Second Trial.

Detroit, Oct. 2.—The second trial of John C. Bodewig and William H. Johnson resulted, yesterday, in a verdict of guilty against both defendants. They were tried for conspiring, with others, to obstruct the passage of the United States mail. On July 16, 1894, an express train was derailed two miles west of Battle Creek. One rail was found to have been moved, and spiked fast a foot out of the line. The fireman of the train was killed in the accident.

Charged by a Stag.

Vienna, Oct. 2.—The Duke Albert of Wurtemberg was seriously injured recently by a wounded stag, while deer stalking in the Austrian Alps. The animal charged upon the duke.

Sixty Thousand Rifles Ordered.

Berlin, Oct. 2.—Spain has ordered 60,000 seven-millimetre rifles from Lowe, for delivery in December.

Democrats, register tonight from 7 to 9.

Patents Granted.

Patents have been granted to Lowell men as follows: James T. Cowley, assignor to Lamson Consolidated Store service company, Newark, N. J., cash carrier apparatus; John H. Goodfellow, assignor to Lamson Consolidated Store Service company, Boston, store service apparatus, two patents.

A SPIRIT OF FAIRNESS

Shown by Yale Boys In Settling the Regrettable Ivy Incident.

New Haven, Oct. 2.—The members of the ivy committee of Yale's class of '96 have made public what will undoubtedly prove a happy solution of the trouble engendered by the planting of the slip of ivy from the grave of Robert Lee on the Yale campus, and its subsequent theft during the summer. The members of the ivy committee have been in correspondence over the theft of the ivy since it became known, and have decided to plant another of the several slips from General Lee's grave, which were originally sent, and also, on a proposition of Wallace Bruce, '67, a slip from the grave of Theodore Winthrop, the poet and writer, who was one of the first Yale officers to meet death in the Union army. The planting of the ivies will be made a notable event, and the plan of having ex-Governor Chamberlain of South Carolina deliver the oration is being favorably considered.

It is probable, however, the slips will not be put into the ground till early spring. Mr. Wells, chairman of the committee, in speaking on the matter, said the Winthrop ivy will be planted close beside that from the grave of General Lee, and as the ivies grow together, they will typify the wish of every loyal Yale man for a union in spirit of the north and south, and a blow at any attempt to create sectionalism in any form among Yale alumni and undergraduates.

The Commodore Off Again.

Charleston, Oct. 2.—Steamer Commodore, which made several filibustering expeditions from this port to Cuba, left here yesterday, announcing preparatory to her departure that she was bound for Jacksonville, Fla. It is said, however, by some that she is making for the Cuban coast. She had aboard a large supply of coal, and appeared to be otherwise heavily laden.

Professor Anthony's Great Collection.

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 2.—Junk Alta has arrived from Lower California with Professor E. A. Anthony, who went there in the interest of the Smithsonian institute. He brings back a great quantity of shells, mosses and sea flora and natural history specimens, many of them entirely new to naturalists.

Walker Succeeds Moore.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—At a meeting of the directors of the Diamond Match company yesterday, Edwin Walker, a prominent corporation lawyer of Chicago, was elected director, to succeed W. H. Moore. Mr. Walker was also made general counsel for the company.

Paymaster Robbed of $1122.

San Francisco, Oct. 2.—The steamer China brings the news of a robbery of $1122 in coin from the paymaster of the United States cruiser Boston, at Shanghai, by Seamen Hendricksen and Mooney, two members of the crew. They were caught a few days later.

AN ELEVATOR FALLS

In Lowell and Leaves Something for Later Development.

Lowell people doubtless remember the elevator accident in Bartlett & Dow's hardware store last February, when Mr. Mark Walsh fell from the third floor with the elevator, on which was a safe. He was taken to the hospital with some broken ribs, recovered, and returned to his employment. Two months ago a kidney trouble developed, doubtless from the shock of the fall. It began with a bad backache, followed by painful urination, and a tendency to gravel. If sitting, it was next to impossible to rise, so great and acute were the pains. He felt that he must put himself under the doctors, but before doing so, he read of Doan's Kidney Pills, and what they were doing in Lowell. Mr. Walsh resides at 128 Central street, and so sent to Ellingwood & Co's, Merrimack and Central streets, and got a box. He says: "I took them as directed, and was helped at once. I now have no trouble of any kind, my back is all right, the urinary difficulty entirely corrected, and it was Doan's Kidney Pills that did it. I am recommending them highly and you may send any one to me and I will give them my case. If they helped me they will help them."

Just such testimony we receive daily. The kidneys often receive injuries, taking time to develop, and in such cases are generally very painful. But we want all to understand that a kidney complaint from any cause is still a kidney complaint and Doan's Kidney Pills will cure them every time.

Price 50 cents per box; for sale by all dealers, or mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

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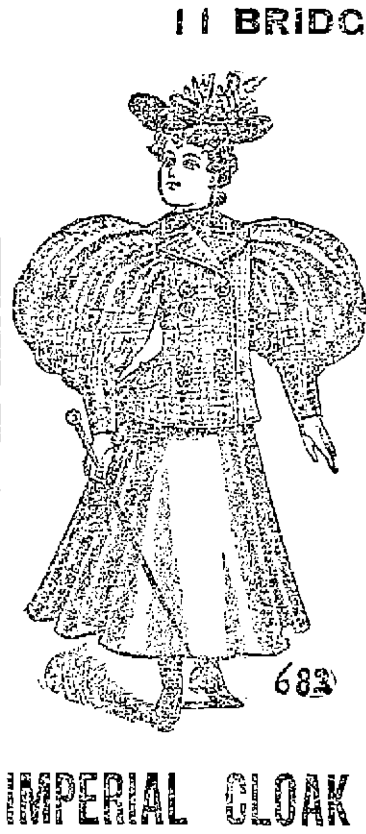

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On Our Dress Goods Counters

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Ranging in prices from **25c. to $2.50 a Yard** were selected from immense assortments with the utmost care. We do not think that there is an undesirable combination in the lot.

OUR PLAIN GOODS

Are the best and most reliable makes in the market, such as can be warranted to give satisfaction, and we have the desirable shades.

Special Bargains Today Are

One lot of Plaid Novelties

At 50c. a Yard

One lot of Satin Gros-Grain Silk, large stylish figures

At $1 a Yard

One lot all-wool very fine Henrietta Cloths

At 50c. a Yard

We Manufacture Our Own Garments

Thus ensuring good work, perfect fit and finish, and are enabled to sell Jackets, Capes, Waists, Suits and Skirts at prices lower than any other house. Upon inspection styles will be found to be the very latest.

WE ARE SHOWING

Handsome Empire and Huzzar Braided, Plain and Fur Trimmed Jackets, made from the most approved Fabrics at prices ranging from **$2.50 to $25.00.**

Also Fur Garments at very reasonable prices.

LAST SPRING

Our Skirts made a reputation for themselves, and this season we have as good a line.

Special Bargains Today Are

One lot good quality Beaver Jackets

At Only $3.98 Each

One lot of Baltic Seal Collarettes, Thibet trimmed

At Only $3.98 Each

One lot Tan Covert Jackets, with Velvet Collars

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We take pleasure in inviting you to our first Fall and Winter Opening, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 1, 2, 3; Friday and Saturday evenings.

133-137 Merrimack St.

Successor to Rose A. Jordan.

Merchants' Week!

Haverhill, Mass., Oct. 6, 7, and 8

A BIG LIST OF SPORTS

TUESDAY

Opening exercises, prayer and address at City Hall at 9 o'clock.
Children's entertainment at 10 o'clock.
Trick Bicycle Exhibitions at stated times.
100 yard dash at one o'clock on Portland St.
Ball game, Boston vs. Providence at Athletic Park at 2 o'clock.
Balloon ascension with Parachute Jump at 4 o'clock.
Lantern parade at 8 o'clock.
Hoyt's "A Temperance Town," at the Academy of Music.

WEDNESDAY

Foot ball game at Athletic Park at 10 o'clock.
Trick Bicycle Exhibitions.
Road Race at 12 o'clock.
Balloon Ascension at 4 o'clock.
Evening open. Possibly some entertainment at City Hall.

THURSDAY

Firemen's Muster.
Parade at 10 o'clock.
Trial of Engines at 2 o'clock.
Trial of Hand Tubs at 3 o'clock.
Grand Ball in the evening.

EVERYTHING FREE

Fall Opening and Special Bargains in all Retail Stores

REDUCED RATES ON ALL RAILROADS.

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We cordially invite you to attend our Autumn Opening of Imported and Domestic Garments, Furs, Suits, Tea Gowns, Waists, Etc. Thursday, Friday and Saturday, October 1, 2 and 3. Exclusively Outside Garments.

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TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 30, OCTOBER 1, 2, 3.

WE INVITE YOU

To inspect our display of magnificent creations from Paris supplemented by hundreds of beautiful and artistic HATS, BONNETS and TURBANS from our own workrooms. Every tasteful idea is here; all that is new! all that is beautiful! all that is stylish! all that is excellent! and all at prices extremely low for superior qualities and Styles shown. You will find here and here only, every new Hat shape! every novelty in Flowers and Feathers! every Pretty Ornament! A look at our rooms and our display will show you everything that the season offers of beauty in Millinery.

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Importer, Designer, Fine Millinery,

138 Merrimack Street, Edson Block, Room 1.

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THE RAILROAD MEN RALLY

A BIG TORCHLIGHT PARADE AND SPEECHES.

Congressman Knox Dodges the Issues and Talks Tariff—M. J. Murray of Boston and Others Talk of Saving the Country.

A largely attended rally was that of the Boston & Maine Gold club in Huntington hall last evening.

The club is composed of railroad employes from different cities who rally at different places. They came to Lowell on a special train some 500 in all from Boston, Salem, Lawrence, Lynn, Reading and other cities.

At the depot they were met by the National band and the local railroad men. In the procession which followed was the Grimes Torchlight battalion of Reading, five companies of men in sailor attire, and the Boston & Maine club. The railroad men carried different colored railroad lanterns.

At Huntington hall G. W. Poore called to order and introduced Mr. Taft, who was proud of the fact that he was a railroad man. Then J. G. Abbott, president of the club, said that the railroad men were going to save the country.

Michael J. Murray of Boston spoke briefly on gold and congratulated the club upon its manner of procedure.

Hon. H. W. Chaplin, an alleged democrat, and president of the National Democratic club of Dedham, was next introduced, and after him the principal speaker of the evening, Congressman William S. Knox of Lawrence, made an address. Though he had spoken in Huntington hall before he said, this is the first time that he ever appealed to the voters to save the country's honor and the flag from repudiation. The fact, he said, that free silver would cut down the pay of the working man would not dishonor the nation as it holds no contract with them, but it would with the veterans. Then he wisely shifted onto the tariff question, and occupied most of his time upon it. He also talked about restricted emigration and what little time he took with gold and silver was devoted to statements oft heard before.

After the rally refreshments were served to the Boston & Maine men in the depot.

Police Court—Hadley, J.

There were about a dozen drunks before Judge Hadley this morning. Two of them had their eyes blackened.

Mary Freeman, who presented the worst appearance, was sent to the workhouse for 6 months.

Michael Malone got 8 months in the state farm, and Patrick Hughes will spend 7 months in the same place.

David Foss, the 17 year old drunk, was sent to the reformatory and so was Edward Perrin, who were charged with larceny.

Annie Wilson claims to belong in Boston, and she has been spending much of her time with the Armenians here in Lowell.

Judge Hadley decided to give her a chance to leave town within 24 hours. She skipped.

Democrats, register tonight from 7 to 9.

Queer Town In Georgia.

There is a unique town in southwest Georgia. It is called Sardis, a settlement of colored people exclusively. Every house in Sardis is owned by colored people—about 100 families—and all are missionary Baptists. They live in new, spacious and well built houses. In their midst sits the Baptist church, probably the prettiest church edifice belonging to the race between Macon and Jacksonville.—Atlanta Constitution.

A Handsome Complexion is one of the greatest charms a woman can possess. POZZONI'S COMPLEXION POWDER gives it.

FOR SALE

Cottage house and about 5000 feet of land at 26 Butterfield Street. House contains 9 rooms, steam heat, bath room, hot and cold water, cemented cellar and there is plenty of room in rear of house to build another house or stable. Good neighborhood. Inquire on premises between the hours of 1 and 2 p. m.

FOR FLOWERS GO TO PATTEN & CO., FLORISTS 293 Central Street.

SUPERIOR COURT.

Sherman, J.

In the Superior court yesterday the case of Bristol vs. the Estey Organ company, was concluded. The attention of the court was given almost wholly to the second count, that to recover $80.90, which the plaintiff claims as his due from the piano company while working on commission. The first count, on a question of law as to the responsibility of the company in recognizing a contract made between one of its agents and a third party, goes to the Supreme court. The arguments were made by J. C. Burke for the company and J. H. Morrison for the plaintiff.

The cases of Hussey vs. Brady and Hussey vs. Slater were not placed on trial. B. D. O'Connell for the plaintiff declining to carry the case further, the court ordered a verdict for the defendant in each case, that judgment corresponding with the one given in the police court. P. A. Fay represented the defence.

The case of Reagan vs. the city of Lowell, suit to recover for damages sustained by the defendant owing to defect in the sidewalk in Market street, near Jefferson in September of 1895, was next tried. John J. and W. A. Hogan for plaintiff and the city solicitor for the defendant.

Read & Shaw Opening.

Yesterday all day long the ladies called at this pretty millinery establishment at 169 Merrimack street, and many were the words of praise of the ladies for the exquisite taste displayed, in not only the hats and bonnets, but also in the pretty appearance of the store.

As you enter the place the first thing to attract your attention is a large upright show case filled with an almost endless variety of millinery supplies. This case is illuminated with electric lights. On both sides of the store there are counters filled with hats and bonnets of all styles and prices.

This firm has built up a large business especially in making bonnets for elderly ladies, and they seem to have been particularly fortunate in securing the services of Miss M. A. Martin, formerly of the leading house in Boylston street, Boston. Miss Martin is a genius in the millinery art and here is a description of a hat and bonnet that she showed yesterday, following faithfully the style of the latest Parisian ideas.

Madame Virot, the leading milliner of Paris, has designed a beautiful bonnet, which is shown at this store. It is of seal jet, and the trimmings are of green mirror velvet, which cover the entire front. At the side is a pretty knot of thread lace and clusters of humming birds. On the other side is a cluster of gold Marguerite and black satin ribbon ties, from the back trimming. Birds of Paradise with black and white aigrettes, complete this becoming bonnet.

Another beautiful creation is the Josephine hat, of black velvet, with an elaborate running of rose-colored mirror velvet and a cluster of five ostrich tips at the side. The crown is draped with black lace barb, and is caught at intervals with black cut jet crescents. Two ostrich tips and a bunch of China asters, to match the crown made an elegant rear decoration.

There are scores of other exquisite designs in the millinery line.

The opening will continue today and tomorrow. This establishment is under the direct supervision of Mrs. Shaw. Every lady who intrusts work in her care is sure to be satisfied. The mourning goods are the most beautiful to be found in this city. Do not fail to see the exhibit at 169 Merrimack street today and tomorrow.

Is This a Campaign Yarn?

Nearly 20 years ago Colonel John P. Barrett of Louisville had his initials carved on a silver 10 cent coin and set it afloat on the marts of trade. A few days ago his widow, Mrs. Mattie Barrett, came into possession of the identical coin and now treasures it as a valuable keepsake. It has lost little of its polish in its peregrinations, and every letter upon it is legible. —Louisville Courier-Journal.

Gold In Georgia.

Within 12 miles of Atlanta is a piece of property which has been thoroughly prospected and found to be rich in gold bearing quartz—assaying an average of $15 to the ton of 2,000 pounds—within 30 feet from the surface.

Merit Talks

"Merit talks" the intrinsic value of Hood's Sarsaparilla. Merit in medicine means the power to cure. Hood's Sarsaparilla possesses actual and unequalled curative power and therefore it has true merit. When you buy Hood's Sarsaparilla, and take it according to directions, to purify your blood, or cure any of the many blood diseases, you are morally certain to receive benefit. The power to cure is there. You are not trying an experiment. It will make your blood pure, rich and nourishing, and thus drive out the germs of disease, strengthen the nerves and build up the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Is the best, in fact—the One True Blood Purifier. Prepared only by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

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The Consumers' Brewing Co.'s EXPORT BEER

Bottled and Steamed at the Brewery, is the

Best Spring Tonic

Just Out. For Sale by All Local Dealers.

DONOHOE AND MANSFIELD

Won Great Victories in Democratic Caucuses Last Evening.

And Will be Candidates for Representative in Their Districts—Both Are Assured of Support Throughout—Coughlin Defeats Harrigan in Billerica—John G. Gordon and Rollin Stickney Carry Their Wards.

Overseer of the Poor Joe Donohoe won a glorious victory last night.

In the only representative district in which there is a surety of electing a democrat he pulled out ahead. As a result of the primaries it looks now as though the convention will accord Mr. Donohoe the nomination by acclamation. His showing last night is ample proof of his popularity for he was up against two very strong candidates. Messrs. Curtin and O'Connor accepted their defeat gracefully and their kind remarks for their successful competitor pleased the voters immensely.

Joe Donohoe swept through wards five and nine and Dracut, and it is understood that the delegate chosen in every other town in the district except Billerica are favorable to him. In the latter place Coughlin delegates were chosen with a leaning toward Donohoe for second choice. In the 25th district the delegates elected are unpledged and in the 26th the nominees are Mansfield, Gordon and Stickney. The story of the caucuses follows:

Ward One.

R. J. McCluskey called the Ward One caucus in Jackson hall to order at 7.30. He was chosen chairman of the meeting, and Hugh Williams, secretary.

A committee of three, J. F. Dawson, George Grant and Edward Burns, was appointed to bring in a list of delegates, and the following names were presented: Anthony A. Conway, James Fleming, E. J. Burns, J. H. Corcoran, Wm. Hesslan, John Kearney, Joseph T. Griffin, R. J. McCluskey, B. J. Callahan, Joseph F. Dawson, John J. Carrigg, John J. Duffy, and Hugh McSorley. The report of the committee was accepted and adopted.

Ralph Stickney, John G. Gordon, and Matthew Mansfield were endorsed for representatives by a vote taken, 36 to 13.

Ward Two.

One of the quietest caucuses ever held in that part of the city was that held in Ward two, where four candidates, Mathew W. Mansfield, Hugh Maguire, Jr.; Thos. J. Garvey and J. Joseph Hennessey, each had a list of 24 delegates on the ballot. As only one list could be voted for there was much confusion and 33 blank ballots out of the 627 cast.

It was Mr. Mansfield's fight from start to finish and at 8 o'clock odds of 5 to 4 on him were refused.

Thomas H. Muldoon called to order at 7 o'clock and the officers elected were as follows: Chairman, William A. Hogan; secretary, James Hearn; ballot distributor, John Pendergast; counters, Daniel J. Manning for Mansfield; Peter H. Savage for Maguire; Michael J. Garvey for Garvey and Thomas H. Muldoon for Hennessey.

The voting began quite briskly and continued for an hour before there was a lull. There were no disputes, discussions or motions. One would hardly think a caucus was in progress.

The polls closed at 9.30 and an hour later the count was announced as follows: Whole number, 627; Mansfield, 272; Maguire, 156; Garvey, 98; Hennessey, 68. During the count Mr. Mansfield led on every block of 50 excepting one, when Mr. Maguire led.

After the announcement, upon motion of M. J. Garvey, the vote for Mr. Mansfield's delegates was declared unanimous. With three cheers for Mansfield, the caucus then adjourned.

The Mansfield delegates are:

P. H. Barry, T. F. Brennan, J. J. Johnson, T. J. Flynn, John Courtney, W. V. Meade, Joseph Hennessey, P. Crimmins, D. Murphy, John Bowers, John Tobin, Bernard Lynch, Wm. Healey, Chas. Mitchell, Fred Cronin, P. Coleman, P. Donohue, P. Garrigan, James McCann, James Donnelly, George Golden, Jeremiah Mack, Thomas Murphy, J. J. Sullivan.

Ward Three.

The caucus was held in the Branch street fire station. The polls were thrown open at 7.30 o'clock and closed three-quarters of an hour later. Mansfield was the only candidate to present a regular list of delegates and he captured all of the 22 votes.

Here are the delegates: Henry Keyes, Wm. Doherty, John J. Dowd, Michael Donahue, Jere White, Con. Sheehan, Frank McCarthy, Daniel Leary, Peter F. Brady, John C. O'Neil, Jos. Miller, Richard Murphy.

The chairman of the meeting was John J. Burns and the secretary M. J. Donahue. The Australian ballot was used.

Ward Four.

There was a good gathering of voters in the Lyon street school basement.

James F. Miskella was appointed chairman of the meeting and Edward Flanagan secretary.

Joseph H. Gormley, John Maguire and Henry F. Kelley were chosen as a committee to name delegates and presented the following names which were approved:

James F. Miskella, Henry F. Kelly, Joseph H. Gormley, John E. Maguire, Edward F. Flanagan, Peter J. Brady, Stephen O'Hare, T. J. Reynolds, Frank M. Fagan, John J. McQuade, John P. Mahoney, Morris Mullam; F. J. O'Neil, John Keenan, John Cassidy, Frank J. Conroy, Con. Hickey, Daniel Mahoney, James F. Owens, Charles F. Tumelty, John J. Sheehan, John J. Gray, John P. Mahoney.

These delegates are unpledged.

Ward Five.

The quietest caucus, where a contest was being waged, ever held in this city was last night's caucus in the Boston & Maine depot.

There was the friendliest feeling between the candidates Joseph F. Donohoe, William F. Curtin and Joseph O'Connor. It was a pretty fight too, from beginning to end. There was never such a crowd of shouters in a ward room as was out for Donohoe. During the night there were frequent shouts of "16 to 1 vote for Donohoe," "Free silver for Donohoe" and "Donohoe's all right." His supporters were quite demonstrative, more so than the friends of Messrs. Curtin and O'Connor, who were doing quiet and effective work. There were 796 votes cast, and everything was done by the candidates to swell the vote. It was after midnight when the announcement of the vote was made as follows: Joseph F. Donohoe 345, William F. Curtin 259, J. Joseph O'Connor 173; blank 22. The delegates pledged to Donohoe are Joseph F. Donohoe, Patrick H. Shoughro, Philip Ginty, Peter E. McMahon, Charles E. Thornton, Michael McMullen, Philip F. Maguire, Daniel McConville, Richard J. Sparks, Timothy Devine, Samuel H. Harnden, Michael F. McCarthy, Peter H. Cullen, Peter J. Hagan, Daniel F. McVey, Thomas H. Craig, John J. Delaney, Martin W. Holloran, Jas. F. McCormick, Con. E. Dugan, Napoleon Roy, Frank H. Sears.

Daniel J. O'Brien was chairman of the caucus, Michael J. Daily, secretary and Hugh Farley, ballot distributor.

When the result was announced, Mr. Curtin addressed the chair, and delivered a few remarks that pleased the voters immensely. He said that he had exerted every effort for victory and had failed. "I congratulate my opponent," he said, "and I want to make the vote here to-night unanimous. Your labors have only just commenced. The margin between the two great parties in this district is so small that it falls on you as a duty to work incessantly from now on for Mr. Donohoe's election.

"My services from now till election day are at Mr. Donohoe's disposal, and I assure you that for his election I shall work as hard as I did for my own success tonight. I feel grateful to those who supported me in this fight, and I trust I shall have an opportunity to repay them."

Mr. Curtin was cheered when he concluded.

Then Mr. O'Connor was heard. He said: "I want to second Mr. Curtin's motion. I have made an honorable fight, and now that the voters have expressed a preference for another man, my duty is to see that everything is done to secure his success at the polls.

"Mr. Donohoe will have a colleague on the ticket and he too must be supported. I will say to my friends that I will not allow my name to be used for the second place on the ticket. Let some one else have it. I feel thankful to my friends who supported me, and I have no ill-will to those who were against me." Mr. O'Connor's remarks were loudly applauded.

The motion to make the vote unanimous then passed. There were cries of "speech" "speech" for Mr. Donohoe, but the successful candidate had started for home with his friend Peter H. Savage, when it became apparent he would win.

Ward Six.

The caucus was called to order promptly at 7.30 and John Nolan was elected chairman.

The following delegates were chosen: John H. Harrington, Fisher H. Pearson, Thomas J. Gallagher, Ralph W. Stickney, John T. Donahue, C. A. Hamilton, Peter A. Golden, Thomas J. Carmody, William M. Donahue, Austin F. Conway, John H. Nolan, Joseph McGrath, F. Callahan, Joseph Neaphere and John Boyers.

It is understood that the delegates are favorable to Gordon, Stickney and Mansfield.

Ward Seven.

There were about 50 voters present at the Fletcher street engine house when the caucus was called to order.

The officers elected were chairman, Andrew E. Barrett; secretary, Andrew Molloy.

Delegates (unpledged), M. F. Donohoe, J. H. Riordan, John Welch, J. F. Murphy, J. F. Holden, J. J. Mayo, Edward J. Carroll, Andrew A. Gray, Michael J. Dineen, John F. Enright, Joseph Lamoreux, John F. O'Brien, J. J. Hogan, John McMaumon.

Ward Eight.

The caucus in this ward was held in the Highland school last night. No lists were submitted to the voters, so a committee consisting of the chairman, O. A. Libby, and the secretary, T. F. Kelley, was appointed to draw one up.

The following names submitted by the committee, unpledged, were approved: O. A. Libbey, T. F. Kelley, John Ryan, M. H. Fletcher, C. H. Whitman, E. D. McVey, John J. Foy, P. Connors, E. F. Grady.

Ward Nine.

The caucus in the High street engine house was the closest in its results in the city. There were 453 votes cast, which is an indication of the great interest the contest aroused. Candidate Curtin resides in this ward and it was here that Mr. Donohoe determined to exert every effort to win from the young attorney.

As soon as the polls were opened Mr. Donohoe was on hand with some of his workers and from 5 o'clock in the afternoon to 10 at night when the polls closed he remained at his post. J. Joseph O'Connor too had friends there looking after his interests. J. F. McElholm presided at the caucus and John H. Clark was secretary. The counting was finished after 11 o'clock and the result showed that Donohoe had won by 22 votes. The vote was; Donohoe, 193, Curtin 171, O'Connor 81. The delegates elected pledged to Donohoe are: Peter H. Donohoe, Thomas P. Boulger, E. P. McOsker, F. J. Doherty, A. E. Rountree, J. H. Callahan, William Fitzgerald, M. F. Conners, Anthony McCarron, H. T. Sullivan, P. J. Deehan, jr, B. J. O'Hara, W. H. Merritt, J. H. Guinan, F. J. McOsker.

At one time during the evening 14 Swedes entered and filed in to cast their votes. They were led by "Gus." Alberg and were solid for Joseph F. Donohoe's delegates.

Billerica Caucus.

About 100 voters gathered at the caucus in the town hall at Billerica last evening, where the contest between Thomas M. Harrigan and Michael Coughlin has been waged.

The caucuses organized with Edward L. McMahon, chairman, and Paul F. Mason, secretary. The polls were kept open an hour during which piano solos were given by Wm. J. Cowdrey.

The vote was 72 for the Coughlin delegates and 10 for those of Harrigan.

The delegates are: Martin Conway, Jr., John O. Morris, Edward L. McNabb, and Philip Nolan.

DONOHOE WINS.

Carried The Dracut Caucuses by Good Majority.

Dracut had the liveliest kind of a caucus last night. The voters were out in force, and "Joe" Donohoe had a force behind him that could not have been overcome. The voting was brisk and early in the evening Mr. Flaherty and Roger Hayes came in arm in arm to deposit Donohoe ballots. They were all dressed for the occasion, wore shining tiles and Prince Albert suits. They got a cheer as they entered in the room. It was the first time the two old gentlemen had attended a caucus there. The vote was: Donohoe 53, Curtin 22, O'Connor 10. The delegates elected, and pledged to Donohoe are: George F. Tucker, Patrick A. Coleman, Michael F. Whelton, John J. Haviland, and Thomas F. Riley.

Democrats, register tonight from 7 to 9.

Shirts Made to Order.

F. L. Wyeth, agent, American house, on request will call and show samples, prices the same as you pay for the best ready-made that you take as they come. We make them any style or length and guarantee satisfaction in every respect.

Have you paid your taxes?

WIGGINVILLE.

Work is progressing on the new bridge over the B. & M. R. R. tracks with great rapidity.

The schools of this village are in excellent condition and are in charge of a most efficient corps of teachers, and in the four rooms of the two school buildings are about 155 pupils.

Mr. Benjamin Stavely, a well known resident of this "burg" is suffering from the effects of a cold, but is able to be about.

Several of the school boys are in danger of getting hurt if they do not stop their dangerous practice of catching on to the electric cars when in motion. Some of them are becoming decidedly obnoxious to conductors and motormen.

The new residence of A. W. Cogswell is fast approaching completion and will soon be ready for occupancy.

The Sun is becoming very popular with Wigginville residents.

A full registration of the democratic vote is confidentially expected.

The residence of Mr. Michael Smith has been recently re-shingled and other exterior improvements. Mr. Smith has a nice field of cabbages in the rear of his house, which is the cynosure of all sightseers who drive through this village.

Wigginville is badly in need of street lights and it is hoped that before the winter sets in the proper authorities will attend to the matter.

Millinery Opening.

Friday and Saturday, Oct. 2 and 3, all the best and latest styles in hats, bonnets and millinery novelties. We invite all. Miss B. E. Willard, 442 Merrimack street.

Pay your taxes now, and avoid interest.

EARNING MONEY IN LOWELL

And spending it in another city makes the latter so much richer and Lowell so much poorer—when it comes to buying clothing, remember the Merrimack Clothing Co., is the only Lowell firm that makes a specialty of

HOME MADE CLOTHING

Made here in Massachusetts by A. Shuman & Co.—who employ none but skilled union labor—and the product of our home labor and home talent—is displayed in the elegant garments in our windows—is fast drawing the foreign and imported articles out of the Lowell market.

Never Sold so Many Nobby Suits, Young Men's Nobby Suits

Is the way our salesmen put it—there is a reason for it, our collection of brown plaids and over plaids for young men, and the cheviots including quiet effects—this lot for men of mature age is the best in Lowell and prices are low.

Fall and Winter Box Overcoats

In Covert Cloth, Kersey and Melton decidedly smart over garments for young men to be worn till ulster time

MERRIMACK Fashion Corner Opp. City Hall **CLOTH'G CO.**

GREAT DISASTER

Latest Report From Florida Storms.

TERRIBLE LOSS OF LIFE AT CEDAR KEYS.

The Property Loss Will Be Enormous.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 2.—Cedar Keys is a place of desolation and death. A few days ago it was a thriving town of 1500 inhabitants. While today, few houses remain standing. Scores of people are seriously injured and twenty corpses have been recovered from wrecked buildings.

All this is the result of the terrible hurricane which swept this section Tuesday night. The town which is situated on the Keys at the mouth of the Suwanee river, was soon swallowed up in the fury of the storm, but the tidal wave from the south made the work of destruction practically complete.

It was the tidal wave which caused greatest loss of life. Many houses were lifted from foundations, taken bodily into the sea and their inmates drowned.

The loss of life at Cedar Keys is nothing to the number of spongers and fishermen drowned. The Mary Eliza came in yesterday morning, dismasted, and reports that in the dark on Monday night nearly 100 vessels were anchored on Sponge bar, below Cedar Keys, and all but about 20 were lost. The boats carried from 4 to 10 men each. Eight corpses have already been washed ashore The schooner Rosalin was sunk and eight of her crew were drowned.

Reliable news from the western part of Levy and Alchua counties shows not less than 200 families left destitute.

It is probable that most of the victims were buried deep in mud by the tidal wave and bodies are likely never to be recovered. Many spongers along the keyes are sure to have perished. Steamers Belle of Suwanee and C. D. Owens were both wrecked in Suwanee river. The property loss in Cedar Keys is enormous. While the gale was at its height, Bettilini and Schlemmer Hotel burned with all its contents. Not a business house or residence in the place escaped injury. Over 30 fatalities are reported in Levy county. The towns of Farnum and Needmore are destroyed.

THEATRICAL NEWS.

Savoy Opening Postponed.

The postponement from Monday, Oct. 5 to Oct. 7, is a wise move on the part of its new manager Kendal Weston, who realizes that it is better to lose a couple of nights, than to open without having everything complete. The scenery makes the delay, as it is of unusual construction and it has taken longer to make and paint it than was anticipated. But the result will be better through the delay. The Turkish Coffee Room to be situated on the ground floor will be most attractive as it is to be thoroughly Turkish in its drapery, decorations, rugs and divans and is to be run by Shiska & Co., of Boston. Coffee, sherbets, cigars, etc., will be sold there and it will be a charming resort between the acts and after the performance.

Democrats, register tonight from 7 to 9.

EIGHTH ANNUAL OPENING

Of the New York Cloak and Suit Company.

This popular establishment is just around the corner of Merrimack and John streets, there are but few ladies who have not visited this place. To-day the name of the New York Cloak Store has become a household word with the ladies of this city, because they are sure to see the correct styles there. Mr. Storey has built up a reputation that other dealers may well envy him. This year has by far lead all other years.

Among the display is the "Empire" coat, a decided change from last year. It is 28 inches in length, made on a yoke front and back. It is made up from Kersey cloth and in different shades, viz: Tan, brown, blue, green and black. The sleeves this season are made smaller and this change is noticed in the stock throughout the store. A large puff at the shoulder and tight fitting from the elbow to the wrist completes the sleeve which will be popular this season.

The tight fitting garments are made the same length. They are trimmed with jet or embroidery and many of them are edged with fur. These goods are also shown in plush, an extensive line being carried. A feature in capes are the short lengths. They are made from 10 to 24 inches long and the sweep around the bottom varies from 100 to 200 inches. The display is magnificent and the prices range from $5 to $200.

The children's garments also show a decided change, and the nobby styles this winter will be short reefers. Every lady should attend the opening that continues to-day and Saturday.

LOCAL NOTES.

L'Union Franco-Americaine held a session last evening and boomed naturalization.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Hale of Marginal street, entertained a number of friends at whist last evening.

Several committees of the city government will meet this afternoon and evening to approve bills.

The city treasurer's office will be open on Monday, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday evenings to receive taxes.

The Intermediate Y. P. S. C. E., of the First (Trinitarian) Congregational church gave a very pleasant entertainment and sociable in Mechanics hall last night.

Fall opening of the Belvidere Millinery parlors, 131 East Merrimack street, will take place Friday and Saturday, this week. All are invited, Miss Ida C. Courville.

Mme. Gregoire's opening of fall and winter styles of Parisian millinery will be on Monday evening and Tuesday, Oct. 5th and 6th. No cards have been issued and every one is invited to look at these elegant goods.

First class job printing at this office.

THE SUN EXTRA 5 O'CLOCK

CLOTHING STRIKE

Operators Are Confident of Soon Winning

A NINE-HOUR DAY AT GOOD WAGES.

Twenty-Five Hundred People Are Idle.

Boston, Oct. 2.—The striking clothing operators of this city are confident of winning the fight for a nine hours working day at last year's wages.

At this morning's meeting it was reported that 1500 operators are on strike, throwing out of employment 1000 women and girls.

Six leading contractors are said to have signed an agreement and 16 more are ready to sign.

The strikers claim to have been to work 16 to 20 hours per day for wages that would not pay living expenses.

HOMES FOR ARMENIANS.

Miss Frances E. Willard Finding Homes in Maine for Armenian Immigrants.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Waterville, Me., Oct. 2.—Miss Willard has asked the people of Maine to furnish temporary homes for 25 Armenians soon to be brought here. Thirteen have been provided already from members of the W. C. T. U.

ORDERS GUN BOATS.

Turkish Government Evidently is Looking for Trouble—Two Thousand Massacred at Egin.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Constantinople, Oct. 2.—A trade was issued by the Turkish government yesterday ordering ten torpedo boats for the defence of the Straits of Dardanelles. The action was taken upon recommendation of Russian officers.

Letters from Kharput confirm the reports of massacres at Egin. It is estimated 2000 have been killed.

REPUBLICANS AND POPS.

Have United Upon State Ticket in the State of Georgia.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 2.—Chairman Buck of the republican state executive committee, has issued a circular calling upon the republicans of Georgia to vote for S. A. Wright, the populist candidate for governor. No republican ticket is in the field, consequently this is practically fusion.

ATE TAINTED FISH

And Now Twenty-five College Students Are Ill.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 2.—As a result of eating tainted fish, 25 students of Concordia college are dangerously ill.

Escaped From Prison.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Barrington, Me., Oct. 2.—Joseph McGray of Jay, recently sentenced to one year in state in prison, escaped from the county building this morning.

Fatal Fire in Texas.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Ladonia, Tex., Oct. 2.—A fire originating in the city hotel, yesterday, destroyed 16 business houses. Loss, $50,000; insured for half. Three guests at the hotel were killed and others narrowly escaped.

FUNERALS.

BARRY—The funeral of Charles Barry occurred this afternoon from his parents' home, 291 Fayette street, and was well attended. The remains remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

McKEON—The funeral of Mary McKeon took place this afternoon, and service was held in Immaculate Conception church. Rev. Fr. Dacey, O. M. I., conducted service and the bearers were six members of the Y. M. C. I. The burial was in the Catholic cemetery.

DEATHS.

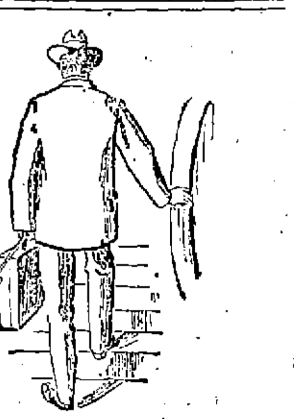
McCARTHY—Thomas McCarthy, one of the oldest confectioners in the state, died this morning at his home, 181 Gorham street. Forty years ago he was in the employ of A. B. French, the confectioner, and also worked for Nichols & Hutchins. Besides his wife, he leaves three daughters, one of whom is the widow of the late William B. Riley, Mrs. Joseph Duffy and Miss Agnes McCarthy of A. G. Pollard & Co's.

Our Annual.

Miss M. L. Delude's millinery parlors at 111 Merrimack street have a grand display of the latest creation of the millinery art. The window display is very pretty and the hats and bonnets to be seen there are Parisian styles. In the store is every shade of ribbon and ornaments for hats or bonnets. There is one large and beautiful show case with a special exhibit of millinery. The store is generously supplied with potted plants and ferns and everything looks beautiful. Miss Delude' Miss Kittie Rogers and others will attend to patrons. The grand opening is today and Saturday and everybody is invited.

Marriage Intention.

The only intention recorded at the city clerk's office today was John J. Corey 23 to Catharine Hanley 22.



The fashionable materials for men's and young men's business suits this season will be rough faced cheviots.

We have a surprisingly good collection of these fabrics in small checks, plaids and mixtures in the new colorings, at popular prices-$6.00, $8.00 and $10.00.

Fly front sacks and vests for those who must have the latest fad—the regular cut for more conservative men.

Higher priced suits, of course—$15.00, up to $25.00—from Rogers Peet & Co.

PUTNAM & SON. 166 Central Street.

LATEST

BOXING GOSSIP.

Martin Flaherty has returned to his home in Pawtucketville after his recent encounter in New York looking finely, his appearance alone being sufficient to refute the statements that he received the worst of his "go."

Mathews' Sociable.

The sociable of the Mathew Temperance institute will be held in Huntington hall this evening. John J. Lynch will be the floor director and William J. Smith assistant. The American orchestra will furnish music.

Vesper Club Whist.

A pleasant whist party was enjoyed at the Vesper Boat club last night.

There were eight tables and first and second prizes.

The winners of first prize were J. H. Sawyer and Charles Weston, and the second prize winners were S. T. and J. K. Whittier.

Fifty Years a Teacher.

There was a big reception to Martha Neal at the Worthen street Baptist church last evening. Miss Neal has taught Sunday school at the church for 50 years, and it was in celebration of the anniversary that the reception was held.

Wefers Ran 300 Yards.

Owing to a strong wind, B. J. Wefers was heavily handicapped in trying to break the world's record for 300 yards, which is 30 seconds. He ran it in 31 3-5.

MONEY

deposited in the Savings Department of the Traders' National bank, corner Middlesex St. and Post Office ave. before 9 p. m., Saturday, October 3d, will draw interest at the rate of 4 per cent. per annum from Oct. 1st. Interest added to the deposit or may be withdrawn Jan. 1st and July 1st.

Savings Department open 8 a. m., to 4 p. m., Saturday evenings 7 to 9.

WM. F. HILLS, Cashier.

INVITATION TO THE LADIES.

The Fall Opening of Millinery will be held at Abbie M. Smith's 175 Merrimack Street, Today and Tomorrow. No cards have been sent out, but all the Ladies are invited to attend.

ABBIE M. SMITH 175 Merrimack Street. Mrs. M. E. Dudley, Assistant.

$65 GARDNER, 20 Prescott street, has a good Upright Piano, seven octaves for $65.00—Friday—It's just what you want.

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And get less, but you cannot pay les and get more than we give you. A large variety of **EXCLUSIVE STYLES**, in the latest designs.

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A HARD TIME Load of spruce edgings for $1. Dry enough for kindling, substantial as hard wood. WILLIAM COGGER, Wood dealer, 23 Concord Street. Telephone 153-3.

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JOHN H. HARRINGTON of Lowell

The republican press and the republican stump orators are endeavoring to spread the belief that McKinley's election is assured. Democrats should not be gulled by any such bluff, because the silver sentiment of other states cannot be duly appreciated in New England.

The Mail says Bryan never makes an argument. Can the Mail produce any well founded argument to show that gold has not appreciated nearly 50 per cent. since 1873, and that under the free coinage of silver the parity between the two metals cannot be maintained at the ratio of 16 to 1? Furthermore, will the Mail explain why Mr. McKinley voted for free silver in congress and denounced the gold policy of Cleveland which he now indorses?

THE MINISTERS TO ACT.

We notice that the ministers of the city are to take the advice of Evangelist Moody and pray for the country's redemption from "calamity." Let us hope that the Lowell ministers will not stultify themselves by following the example of some who prostitute their pulpits to the worst kind of political quackery and speak and act as if cautioning the Almighty that he will make an egregrious blunder if he permits Mr. Bryan to be elected. Would it be impertinent to inquire if this movement is the result of the republican campaign appeals, the same as have been received by Catholic clergymen throughout this country?

MR. KNOX'S ALLIANCES.

The hullaballoo and red fire illumination to which this city was regaled last night was a fair specimen of the republican campaign.

Mark Hanna has been running excursions to Canton to make a show of popularity for the republican candidate and of course, as might be expected, a fair proportion of Bayan's supporters accepted the invitation for a free ride. The Boston and Maine railroad and Mr. Knox, the present congressman, combined to run a special train to this city last night in order that voters might be taken up along the line to fill Huntington hall in Lowell.

The Boston and Maine, with its Gold club, seems to be out for Mr. Knox, who is president of a bank as well as candidate for congress. Here, then, is a combination which in every way represents the money power and the monopoly so injurious to the people of this country. Mr. Knox, if again elected to congress this year, will more than ever unite himself to the gold bugs, the monopolists, the trusts and combines, which headed by Mark Hanna bid fair to surpass all their past audacity in the corruption of government and the oppression of labor.

Millions and millions of dollars have been contributed for the election of McKinley by the money kings and the leading trusts and monopolies of this country. They are casting their bread upon the waters, but they expect it to return greatly multiplied.

Should McKinley be elected every shylock and every trust that contributed to his campaign boodle will expect to be recouped by high tariff subsidies and special laws and immunities that would enable them more successfully to carry on their nefarious work of bleeding the people.

Mr. Knox, by his declarations and by the adoption of the special train feature of campaign, placed himself in line with the policy of Mark Hanna, McKinley, the money kings and all the elements and combinations that stand between the people and just government.

Is this the kind of a congressman the people of the fifth district want for the next two years? Do they want a man who will stand by the people or one who will work against the people? If the voters want the latter, if they want a man who will be a tool in the hands of labor's worst enemies, who will vote against the people's interest, who will be controlled by bigots, then they should vote for Mr. Knox. But if they want a man of the people who will fight the people's battles in the halls of Congress and elsewhere, if they want a man who will be the foe of the money power and of every oppressive trust and combination in this country, a man who will not be controlled by bigots, corruptionists or lobbyists—then they should vote for John H. Harrington of Lowell.

When you need printing remember The Sun.

THE POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

BRYAN TO THE MINISTERS.

He Is Willing to Take Chances With Lazarus If They Prefer Dives.

Well, I could stand any appeal made by the advocates of the gold standard to almost any class better than an appeal made to the preachers and teachers of religion. If there is one thing that the church people of this country could afford to array themselves against it is the gold standard as it is being advocated by the American people at this time. And yet the Republican party is appealing to church people to take their place upon the side of the gold standard.

How things have changed in the last 1,800 years! Look at the people who head the gold standard propaganda in the United States. Look at the bondholding class and the money changer classes, the brokerage classes of New York, who are trying to fasten a gold standard upon the people of this country, not openly, but secretly and in disguise, and then turn back 1,800 years, when the meek and lowly Saviour threw the same kind of people out of his temple because they had made his house a den of thieves, and then think that these people come and appeal to the ministers of the gospel and the church papers to save them from the wrath to come!

My friends, when certain ministers of the gospel denounce the great mass of the people who stand behind free coinage, when these ministers have denounced these advocates of free coinage and have taken their places upon the side of those great aggregations of wealth, I remind them that when the Saviour was here it was the common people who heard him gladly—the very people whom these ministers call anarchists and socialists.

My friends, when I find—there are not many of them, but they are quite conspicuous—when I find these men casting their lot upon that side and exhausting abusive language in their description of the great masses of the people of this country, I feel like saying to them that if they will take their chances with Dives I will risk my chances with Lazarus.

I believe that for every Democrat we lose because of the position we have taken on the money question we are going to get 10 who are not Democrats. While our opponents do not understand what 16 to 1 means and give various definitions, I believe that definition is the one they fear most.—William J. Bryan.

When Belmont Succeeds.

Baron Rothschild will feel able to buy another European kingdom or so when Perry Belmont succeeds in controlling the electoral vote of Texas and putting J. P. Morgan in charge of the Alamo.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

One Way to Get It.

If the Hanna crowd want to get back the money they paid out to rescue McKinley's property from the sheriff, they should take it out of the Republican campaign fund.—Exchange.

FACTS FOR WORKINGMEN.

What the Election of McKinley Will Mean to Wageworkers.

If McKinley wins this fight, we go flat upon the single gold standard unmitigated even by any reasonable hope of relief from any source. That will mean a final settling down to gold prices in every branch of industry and trade. It will mean wages to labor in this country corresponding closely to the wages given to the "pauper labor" of gold standard Britain.

But one of the very first effects of the final triumph of the single gold standard in this year's election would be a sharp cut in the wages of all labor and the early beginning of a readjustment of prices in other industries besides agriculture.

The single standard gold dollar is a dear dollar the world over. The man who has it is going to get something when he parts with it.

If McKinley is elected, thousands of men who vote for him will in less than three months have the strongest kind of reasons in their pockets for begging somebody to kick them.

But McKinley is not going to be elected.—St. Louis Republic.

It is odd to find so many big employers of labor trying to tell the workingmen what is best for them. Great reforms always have come from the masses, open world's history where you may.

Needs Explanation.

Mexico is not heaven, but it is true that there are more Americans going to Mexico than there are Mexicans coming to the United States. It is also true that no Mexican capital is invested in this country while millions of American capital is invested in Mexico. What is the explanation of these strange facts?—Cedar Rapids Gazette.

It is as sensible to say that money shall be made only out of gold as it would be to say that the yard measure shall be made only out of ebony.

Workingmen For Bryan.

Mark Hanna's gang of hoboes have been hauled down to Canton as miners, glassworkers, tinplate men and almost every other class of laboring men, but still the true workingmen stand unitedly for Bryan.—Kansas City Times.

When a man pays back a gold dollar or an American dollar today for the dollar he borrowed 20 years ago, he is like the farmer who paid back a 150 pound hog for a 100 pound hog. Such a dollar is not an honest dollar.

Fictitious Value of Products.

One is almost moved to tears by the sight of New England manufacturers protesting with indignation against the wisdom or possibility of giving fictitious value to a product, when for the last 30 years they have drained the rest of the country and secured artificial prices by protective tariff laws.—W. J. Bryan in House of Representatives, Nov. 1, 1894.

THE NO CYCLING CLERGY

SHOULD PREACHERS RIDE THE BIKE BEFORE CLUB AGAIN?

The Thompson Street Searchers Consider the Subject For the Third Time—Brudder Henderson's Telltale Statistics Change the Attitude of the Members.

"Gemlen of de club," said President Toots after the routine business had been cleared away at the last regular meeting, "I hev to announce de fact dat a sartin member of dis club has riz up to a queshun of privilege. Dat means dat he wants to reopen a subjick disposed of at a former meetin. De name of de pusson who has riz up am Silver Plated Henderson, an de subjick am 'Should Preachers of de Gospel Ride de Bike?' We had de queshun befo' us on two occashuns, an arter a full an free debate it was decided dat it didn't do any moral harm fur a preacher to ride de wheel. Brudder Henderson wasn't heah dat evenin, an he now demands de right to submit sartin statistics which he has gathered up."

The Said Statistics.

The secretary then read the statistics as follows:

"Rev. John Coontree of Kentucky was a pillar of the church and had saved 10,000 souls. After four lessons on the bike he jabbed a hog with a pitchfork, kicked a mule over a fence and pounded his wife almost to death with a bed slat. Now in jail and hollering for gore.

"Rev. Chilblain Green of Virginia took two lessons on the bike at a camp meeting and then turned to and tore down seven tents and punched the head of six other preachers. Taken to jail; but it was the general opinion that he was possessed by satan.

"Rev. Chuckalong Jones of Ohio, who was known for 18 years as the Volcano Exhorter, and his voice when singing or praying could be heard three miles against the wind, took a spin on a bike down a long hill, and after he came to he set fire to a church and went into the business of selling root beer.

"Rev. Greentree Wharton of Indiana was so good that he wouldn't eat strawberries on Sunday and stopped his clock at sunrise so as to give it a rest on the Lord's day. A stranger left a bike with him for three days and satan impelled him to ride it. Is now in jail, charged with seven different crimes, and if he escapes hanging will be a maniac all his life."

Only Sample Cases.

Brother Henderson, in arising to defend his statistics, stated that they were only sample cases culled at random from hundreds which could be found in the daily papers. How on earth the club could have debated this question and overlooked these statistics was more than he could account for. Here was a matter concerning the very foundations of morality and society, and yet the club had passed it over as if it was of no more account than voting the sum of 15 cents to buy a rabbit's foot.

He had understood that certain members opposed the use of the bike by preachers on the ground that it detracted from the dignity of the cloth and lowered their standard, while others had vigorously denied that such was the case. He had come to the meeting loaded with a big gun for b'ar and a small gun for woodchuck. He would now fire off his small gun:

"The Rev. Cæsar Higginbottom of Illinois, after five lessons on the bike, went around pinching the sisters' ears and patting them on the back, and one of them put his eye out with the ferule of a blue cotton umbrella.

"The Rev. Moses Skupanong of New Jersey took two lessons on the bike and eloped with his own wife, thinking she was the hired girl. When he discovered the fraud, he broke her jaw and was sent to jail for 30 days."

Were Not These Enough?

Brother Henderson said he could go on with these statistics until night faded into daylight, but were not these enough? Did the club want anything further to satisfy the most capricious member that it had taken a wrongful position and could not get out of it too soon? He was willing to see preachers swing the club, put up the bells, jump the bar or ride a bucking mule, and he didn't know that it would do any harm for preachers to put on the gloves and scrap a little, but as for riding a bike—nit!

Professor Hindfoot, who had been one of the preachers' champions at the other meeting, now asked that the question might be decided in the negative. He was even then giving a preacher lessons in the art, and the idea that the man might suddenly hop off the saddle and kick a dog or throw stones at a church almost paralyzed him.

Several others spoke to the same effect, and, the question being put to a vote, it was unanimously resolved that no member of the cloth should tackle the bike until it had been ascertained what was wrong with it. M. QUAD.

What His Wife Heard.

Smythe (half asleep as the alarm clock goes off at 6 a. m.)—Say, Billy, if that's my wife at the phono, tell her I'm out and won't be back for two hours.—Truth.

A Strong Resemblance.

Visitor—How much the baby resembles its mother!

Father—Yes; it talked when it was only 6 months old.—Harlem Life.

The End of the Flirtation.

He (sadly)—And I must forget everything?

She—Yes, even our number in town.—Truth.

Tying Her Shoe.

What the pride and what the glory,
What the pomp and lordly airs,
What the song and what the story
With my humble task compares?
Knowing well that I adore her,
Quick to any service do,
On my knees I bow before her
When I tie Priscilla's shoe.

Fumbling with the dainty laces,
Conscious of my awkward pose,
Well advanced her toe she places,
Till a little glimpse of hose
Shows beneath her gown's rich hemming.
Then I knot the strings anew,
While such fashions I'm condemning
When I tie Priscilla's shoe.

Awkwardly I seek to fashion
Bow that somehow never comes,
While she views with mild compassion
All my fingers turned to thumbs.
Yet I feel an exultation
When my pleasant task is through,
And I bless the situation
When I tie Priscilla's shoe.
—Roy Farrell Greene in Truth.

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STATUE OF GRANT.

Magnificent Bronze Piece Soon to Be Erected In Philadelphia.

The bronze statue of General Grant will be the next beautiful art work erected and unveiled in Fairmount park. It is to be located on the east river drive at the point where the Fountain Green drive winds up under the stone bridge of the Reading railroad, about half a mile above Girard avenue bridge. The granite face of the bridge between the two piers will be the background.

Already work has been commenced on the pedestal, and as quickly as possible the statue will be put in place. The date of the unveiling has not yet been fixed, but when it takes place it will probably surpass anything of the kind ever before attempted by the Fairmount Park Art association.

In the statue Grant sits deep in thought. Clay or bronze could not give a stronger picture of the contained, resolute, impassive soldier. The horse reflects his master's patience and firmness.

The general wears field clothes, heavy cavalry boots, a close buttoned coat and the long cloak that he wore after he was placed at the head of the army. It falls in fine, sculpturesque folds over the horse's back and accentuates the grim determination of the whole statue.

The cost of the statue is not the least interesting part of its story, and a rather startling part to those who do not know much about bronze statues. Immortality in brass is not to be had for nothing. When everything is paid for, pedestal and all, the monument will have cost about $30,000, perhaps $1,000 or $2,000 more than that.—Philadelphia Telegraph.

A FORTY YEAR CLOCK.

This One Will Not Have to Be Wound Again Until 1936.

There are clocks that go eight days, some that go a month and others that go not at all, but there is only one clock that will keep good time 40 years without winding, and that has just been built in Chicago.

Purdy Campbell, a Chicago jeweler, made up his mind that he had 40 years of his life before him. He figured on this basis that he would, during the rest of his life, spend about 60 days of his valuable time winding the clock, to say nothing of time and temper lost through forgetting it. Then he decided to make a clock that would have to be wound but once in 40 years.

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Every part of this clock, this near approach to perpetual motion, was made by Mr. Campbell, and the work took most of his leisure for 24 months. The movement is full jeweled.

The clock will be put in a hermetically sealed case, and it will work in a vacuum, thus lessening friction and preventing the oil from drying. It will be impossible for dust to get into the works.—Exchange.

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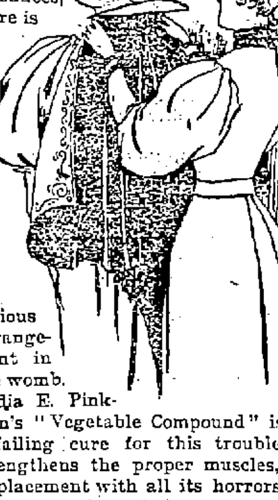

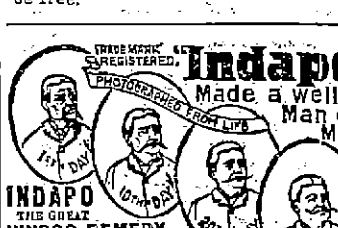

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—Punch.

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How favors smile and flee!
You mention Trilby and they sneer
And murmur, "Who is she?"
—Washington Star.

A Terrible Time.

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Sich a time last year.
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(Tellin of you fac's).
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'Nuther took the tax.

Never seen the like of it.
Tell you, it wuz queer!
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An gossiped 'bout the mayor.

Mayor—she got so pipin mad—
Broke a china cup,
Called the marshal in an locked
The tax collector up.

Sheriff went to takin sides,
Said 'twuz hard ter bear,
Went an swore a warrant out.
Served it on the mayor.

Then the new commissioner
Tried ter run the town.
Coroner, she come erlong
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—Atlanta Constitution.

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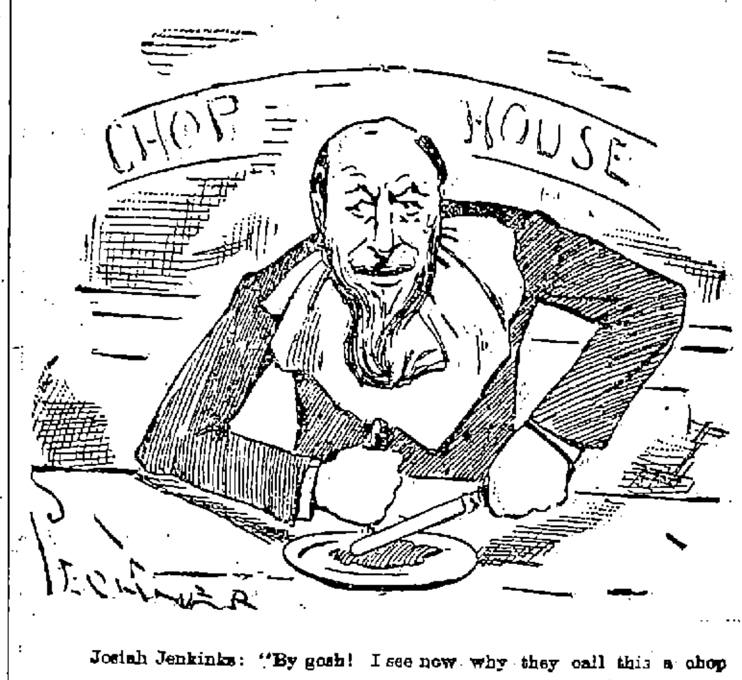

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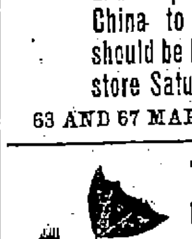

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DISGUSTED AT TREATMENT BY PARTY LEADERS.

Hoke Smith's Paper Authority for the News.

Atlanta, Oct. 2.—The Atlanta Journal says that Tom Watson has decided to withdraw as the vice presidential nominee of the People's party. When it is considered that this paper is the property of Hoke Smith, who resigned from the Cleveland cabinet that he might give free expression to his views in support of Mr. Bryan, the announcement concerning Mr. Watson must be credited with some weight.

Tom Watson was at his room at the Kimball House, surrounded by a phalanx of Populistic braves, last night, and was shut out from the rest of the world so absolutely that all efforts to get from him anything about his movements or intentions proved unavailing. The mystery that surrounded him, perhaps, was in a measure responsible for the many rumors afloat. These took definite shape in the statement that he is certainly going to withdraw from the Populist ticket in disgust. Watson would neither affirm nor deny this rumor. He was as dumb as the proverbial oyster. The story goes that in the People's party paper he will explain his position fully, and that the effect of it will be his withdrawal.

Watson spoke at Stone Mountain yesterday. He made no direct allusion to any idea of withdrawing, and, indeed, left his hearers impressed strongly with the belief that he proposed to stick, come what may. Yesterday afternoon The Evening Journal contained a story, published over a Washington date line, which intimated strongly that the withdrawal was in sight. It spoke of Watson's disgust at the treatment he has received at the hands of other Populist leaders. Watson's paper is published from The Journal's presses. Whether he comes off or not, Watson is disgusted. He is quoted as having said to a friend that he believes McKinley is going to win.

Busy In West Virginia.

Wheeling, Oct. 2.—The greatest demonstration given William J. Bryan in the state of West Virginia was last night paid him in this city. At the fair grounds he spoke to a crowd, the size of which was only limited by the space in front of the speaker's stand and the distance the nominee's voice could be heard. Neatly uniformed marching clubs, bands of music, and citizens in carriages and mounted on horses made up a large procession. At Parkersburg it was the greatest day that city has seen for many years. Excursion trains from all the outlying towns had contributed to swell the crowds. At the grove where Mr. Bryan spoke he received an enthusiastic reception. Mr. Bryan said, in concluding his speech at Parkersburg "You must not believe what you see sometimes in the newspapers, to the effect that I am about to give up. I will not yield, and if you will let me do this work by degrees, and not compel me to do too much, I will promise to keep it up until the evening before election." At Sistersville a great crowd of oil drillers had assembled at the depot, and Mr. Bryan said a few words to them. He also had a word to say to the people of New Martinsville, asking them to make their silver speech on election day.

Thinks It Looks Like McKinley.

Baltimore, Oct. 2.—Joshua Levering, the Prohibition candidate for president, returned home yesterday, after a month spent in the northern and western states. During his absence Mr. Levering spoke in all the large towns in New England and New York, and extended his tour as far west as Minnesota. He will go south, where he will spend the remainder of the time prior to election day, speaking in all the large cities and towns as far south as New Orleans. In speaking of his trip, Mr. Levering said: "One of the best signs of the times, in my judgment, is that the meetings of all sorts and all parties are attended by such crowds and classes of people as have never taken much interest in politics before. The people everywhere seem anxious to hear these new questions discussed, and will turn out to hear anybody. So far as I could learn, I think McKinley will be elected."

Lace Is For McKinley.

South Bend, Ind., Oct. 2.—Ex-Governor Luce of Michigan, widely quoted as having declared for William J. Bryan, has written a letter to a friend in Laporte, in which he authorizes a denial. He further says that, while not in accord with the declaration of the Republican platform on the money question, yet he believes it his duty to vote for McKinley. He has received 1000 letters of enquiry, he says.

Porter and Schraub For Populists.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 2.—The Populists nominated Democratic candidates for governor and lieutenant governor, Porter and Schraub, ignored Judge Titus and the Democratic nominee for judge of the court of appeals, and named one of their number, Lawrence J. McParlin. The Democratic electoral ticket was accepted. The platform of the September Populist convention was adopted.

Amalgamation Completed.

St. Louis, Oct. 2.—The consolidation of the National Association of Democratic clubs and the Association of National Silver clubs has been finally perfected, and the latter organization will take active part in the big convention of the National Association of Democratic clubs, to be held here.

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Novel Wager of a Boston Newspaper Man—He Will Arrive in Boston Tomorrow Night Winning a Wager—Is Accompanied by His Wife and a Dog.

"Joe, the Pinman," whose right name is Joe Williams, a newspaper man who is on his way back to Boston after a walk from there to San Francisco and back on a wager, arrived in Nashua today and may strike this city tomorrow.

He started from Boston October 3, 1895, to walk to the Golden Gate and back in a year, and on conditions which made him work his head and legs to win.

The wager was posted after a drummers' talk in a Boston hotel as to how many dollars' worth of goods a man could sell in a year and the territory he could cover.

Joe had to walk every foot of the distance, sell 9,000,000 lead pencils and 6,000,000, together with earning his board and lodging for himself and his wife during the long tramp. His wife and a fox terrier accompanied him, the former riding a wheel from St. Louis. She walked with her husband all the distance until the Missouran city was reached.

"Joe" has done remarkably well and has sold all of his specified number of pins and is confident of selling out the pencils reaching Boston Saturday morning, when the time for the wager is up.

The two purses amount to $5000 and his commissions on his sales $14,000. He will have sold by the time he reaches Boston $250,000 worth of pins and pencils. He also made $3500 in novel advertising schemes during the trip.

In Easton, Pa., he shined the shoes of 250 students. He has sawed wood and been whitewashed in the windows of various big establishments for money and lodging. Nearly every hotel on the route gave him his lodging gratis for doing some little favor. He expects to clear close to $30,000 on the novel enterprise.

"Joe" had a big book of clippings from newspapers all along the line, which he prizes highly. He cannot write a letter or ride on anything until he arrive home, under forfeiture of the purse.

The Staunton Flood.

Staunton, Va., Oct. 2.—The flood here was caused by the bursting of a lake, and the emptying of its waters into a stream already badly swollen by the rains. From 10 to 12 o'clock of Tuesday night the rain came down in torrents, and soon changed Lewis creek, which runs through Staunton, into a raging torrent, and the water backed and quickly swamped the neighborhood. A handsome brick, stone-trimmed building was totally wrecked. Along the line of the creek in the southern part of the city the water rose several feet in a few seconds, with the result that Staunton experienced the most disastrous flood in its history. Four persons were drowned.

Several Children Bitten.

Maryville, Mo., Oct. 2.—A St. Bernard dog attacked a party of school children here. One was fatally injured, two seriously bitten and a baby in the house of the dog's owner was bitten so severely that recovery is impossible.

Sugar Refinery Closed.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2. — The Spreckles sugar refinery has shut down for an indefinite period, owing to dull trade. About 800 men are thrown out of employment by the closing of the establishment.

IN THE COILS OF SNAKES.

Thrilling Experience of a Party of Campers.

A snake story comes from Scioto township, O., which rivals the most thrilling that has been printed in snake lore this season. On the banks of Darby creek is an extensive body of timber land known as Buckley's woods.

But although it has many allurements to offer to the mighty mimrod or the follower of Walton, it finds very little favor in the eye on account of the large number of snakes both great and small which find a safe retreat within the seclusion of the woods. Notwithstanding the frights and perils that must necessarily be encountered with the reptile, Harry Weatherly, Nat Bitler, John Bayliss and Mark Pirmer, with a colored cook named Johnson, decided on a week's outing in the woods, and accordingly staked their camp. All went well for a few days, the boys experiencing no trouble from the snakes, each congratulating the other that they had not been scared off from a camping ground where fish and game were so abundant by a lot of foolish snake stories.

The four boys slept in a tent while Johnson, the cook, bunked under a canopy in a hammock, and was a sound sleeper. On the morning of the third day Harry Weatherly, the first one up, went over to Johnson's quarters to arouse him to prepare breakfast. Weatherly was struck dumb with fear and horror on approaching Johnson to find him in the coils of two immense snakes, and stood as one paralyzed for a few moments before bringing his companions to the scene. How to rescue poor Johnson from his perilous position without endangering his life was the question they were debating, and could not find a satisfactory answer, when one of the snakes answered it for them by raising its head about four inches from the hammock. This was an opportunity that Bitler, who is an expert shot, had been looking for, and in an instant he had blown his snakeship's head off.

The other snake, aroused by the report of the gun and the movements of Johnson in the hammock, who had awakened by this time, suddenly uncoiled itself and made a vicious attack upon the boys. They fought it off with clubs and fired several times at it with revolvers, when it made a retreat into the thick underbrush. Johnson had slept in blissful ignorance of his dangerous surroundings, and although unharmed trembled like a leaf when he realized the frightful situation in which he was found. The snake that was killed proved to be an ordinary black snake, and measured 10 feet 5 inches. The night was chilly and the warmth of Johnson's body attracted the snakes to encircle it.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

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PLAN OF ACTION

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THERE WILL BE NO OUTSIDE INTERFERENCE

If Sultan is Able to Preserve Order.

London, Oct. 2.—It would seem that the gaunt spectre that has been stalking before the eyes of affrighted Europe as presaging war has been laid to rest. It may now be hoped that the danger has been conjured by diplomacy, which alone was capable of dealing safely and adequately with the problem.

There is good reason for believing that a very important agreement has been arrived at between the great powers, and that all danger of a European war has, for the present, passed away. It is certain that the interviews between the czar and Lord Salisbury at Balmoral have borne good fruit.

According to this information it is not yet known what arrangements have been made for the contingency of serious disturbances in Constantinople and of further disorder in Asia Minor, but, assuming that the sultan's government shows itself able to preserve order and prevent evil deeds, either by Armenian conspirators or excited Mussulman mobs, the great powers will not forcibly interfere in Turkish affairs.

Talked of Dynamiters and Armenia.

London, Oct. 2.—Henry Asquith, addressing his constituents at Leven, declared that when he left office in June, 1895, no medical reasons existed for releasing the Irish dynamiters. In this matter, he said, the Tory government appeared to enjoy advantages which were denied to the Liberals. If the Liberal government had liberated these men, and a new plot had been discovered so quickly, there would have been a universal roar of incredulity and indignation. Regarding Armenia, Mr. Asquith said that if the massacres of Armenians had occurred in the dark ages there would have been a crusade as a result. He urged that coercion should be used, and that the sultan should be removed, but he admitted that force employed by England would not be safe without the co-operation of Russia.

Others May Go Out.

Ottawa, Oct. 2.—It is believed that a general strike of the members of the railway organizations on the Canadian Pacific railroad is imminent. Mass meetings of trainmen, firemen, conductors, engineers and trackmen at Ottawa and other divisional points passed resolutions of sympathy with the railway telegraphers, and expressed a willingness to go out on strike with them. Grand officers of the different organizations were called upon to call out their members if a peaceful settlement could not be effected.

Two Veritable Death Dealers.

Athens, Oct. 2.—The Russian barbette ironclad, Alexander II, flying the flag of Admiral Andrieff, and the turretted cruiser Navarin, have arrived at Piraeus, the seaport of this city. The Alexander II carries two 12-inch 50-ton guns, four 9-inch 19-ton guns, eight 6-inch guns and eight smaller guns, and has five torpedo tubes. The Navarin carries four 12-inch 52-ton guns, eight 6-inch guns, and 14 smaller quick-fire guns, and has six torpedo tubes.

Big Decrease In Gold.

Paris, Oct. 2.—The weekly statement of the Bank of France, issued yesterday, shows the following changes, as compared with the previous account: Notes in circulation increased 95,250,000 francs; treasury accounts current increased 13,075,000 francs; gold on hand decreased 13,800,000 francs; bills discounted increased 151,925,000 francs; silver in hand decreased 1,425,000 francs.

Spaniards Clearing Out.

Madrid, Oct. 2.—The Spanish government is taking active steps to check the wholesale immigration of families who are unable to pay the forfeit of 200 pesetas ($400) to redeem their sons from military service in Cuba. Such forfeits, the correspondent adds, realized nearly £1,500,000 for the treasury in 1895.

Almost Too Good to Be True.

London, Oct. 2.—The Vienna correspondent of The Daily Mail telegraphs to his paper as follows: "The powers have agreed upon a pacific settlement of the eastern question, honorable to all parties and amply guaranteeing the security of the Armenians."

Troops Going to Madagascar.

Paris, Oct. 2.—The Gaulois says that in view of the disturbed state of affairs in the island of Madagascar, 12,000 troops will be dispatched there after the fetes which are to be held in honor of the visit of the czar and czarina to Paris.

Bohemian Strike Spreading.

Vienna, Oct. 2.—Six thousand miners have joined the strike which is in progress throughout the coal regions of North Bohemia. The strike was originated by omladinists, and not by socialists, as was at first reported.

Ten Thousand Deaths From Fever.

Merv, Turkestan, Oct. 2.—A malignant fever, similar to that which appeared in 1893, has ravaged Turkestan for the past two months. Ten thousand persons have died from the fever, most of the victims being children.

Will Discuss Gould's Letter.

London, Oct. 2.—The Yacht Racing association, at its meeting on Oct. 9, will consider the letter of Howard Gould, referring to the examination made of his yacht Niagara without his knowledge or consent.

Half a Town Gone.

Paris, Tex., Oct. 2.—Half of the business portion of Ladonia, 30 miles southwest of this city, was destroyed by fire, which originated in a hotel. The landlady and two others perished in the flames.

Requisition Papers Wanted.

Providence, Oct. 2.—Detective Nickerson, yesterday, arrested Abram Winitsky, as a fugitive from justice, on charges made by Springfield (Mass.) authorities. Winitsky will decline to leave the state without requisition papers.

Why Not?

If you are economizing why not look over your printing bills and see if you are not paying too much for printing? Call at this office and get prices on your work, and see if we cannot save money for you.

CHANDLER ON SILVER.

"Thoughtless Act" Should Be Remedied by Speedy Remonetization.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 2.—Senator Chandler, last night, made public his reply to a letter from a man in Selma, Cal., asking his opinion of the "Crime of '73," as the alleged demonetization of silver at that time is termed by many prominent silver men. Senator Chandler, in his reply, says the anti-silver legislation of 1873 was not a crime, but merely a "thoughtless act." His letter concludes as follows:

"Not until 1893 were England's India mints closed to silver coinage, and not until Sept. 12, 1896, at Bar Harbor, did Secretary Carlisle proclaim the obligation of the United States to reclaim every silver dollar on demand with the gold dollar. What the complete effect will be of this wholly blotting out all the silver coin of the world as money of final redemption, and measuring the world's value only by the $4,000,000,000 of the world's gold coin now in existence, remains to be seen. I think it will be ruinous to debtors and owners of real estate and personal chattels. Money lenders may reap a harvest. It does not seem to me to be worth while to denounce anybody for the thoughtless legislation of 1873. The wise course will be, after McKinley's election, to work earnestly, without crimination or recrimination, to secure the remonetization of silver and the restoration of bimetallism."

Permanent Census Bureau Favored.

Washington, Oct. 2.—Carroll D. Wright, commissioner of labor, and in charge of closing the work on the 11th census, says in his annual report to the secretary of the interior, that the clerical work of the census office is now substantially complete, and the tables are in the hands of the printers. Mr. Wright says he will be ready to report to congress by December a plan for a permanent census bureau. He says he has been in correspondence with statisticians relative to a uniform census of the civilized nations of the world in 1900, and expects to submit a report to congress at the coming session.

Professor Laroux Tempts Fate.

Willimantic, Conn., Oct. 2.—The three days' fair of the Willimantic Fair association closed yesterday afternoon. Professor Laroux and his wife, who were to make a balloon ascension and parachute descent, fell when about 40 feet in the air, by the rope connecting the parachute breaking. Mrs. Laroux was dragged on the ground a considerable distance, and was unconscious for two hours. She escaped without any broken bones. Professor Laroux attempted another ascension later, but his balloon caught fire, as it was being inflated, and was entirely consumed.

Two Score Took a Tumble.

Burlington, Ia., Oct. 2. — The semi-centennial exercises yesterday were marred by an accident which happened to the reviewing stand erected near the Union depot for the convenience of Vice President Stevenson, Governor Drake of Iowa and his personal staff and some 40 other prominent people, in reviewing the parade. Just as the head of the parade reached the point, with almost no warning the entire stand collapsed, throwing its distinguished occupants to the ground, a distance of 15 feet. The majority of those on the stand were bruised more or less.

Schooners In Collision.

Vineyard Haven, Mass., Oct. 2.—The schooner S. P. Blackburn of Bath, Me., Baltimore for Portland, Me., reports that on Sept. 29, about 40 miles S. S. E. from Fire Island, with the vessel close hauled on the starboard tack in a light wind, she was run into by the schooner Fred Gower, bound south in ballast. The Blackburn had her cutwater and all headgear carried away, together with the spanker and mizzen rigging. The chain plates and rails were broken, and much minor damage done around decks. The damage to the Gower is unknown.

Crossed the Frontier.

El Paso, Tex., Oct. 2.—Duval West, assistant United States district attorney, received a telegram from San Elizario saying that Mexican officers, fully armed, crossed the river to San Elizario and arrested deserters from the Mexican army. The American officers at San Elizario objected to it, and caused the Mexican officers to release their prisoners, leave their arms on this side, and return to Mexico. Mr. West will report the matter in full to the department at Washington.

Mrs. Blackstock Divorced.

Newport, R. I., Oct. 2.—In the supreme court here yesterday, Emeline F. Blackstock was granted a divorce and given the custody of her two children. Her husband, George T. Blackstock, is one of the most influential men in Canada, being a queen's counsellor, and retained by the Canadian Pacific railroad. Neglect to provide was the ground for action.

Torpedo Boat Launched.

Baltimore, Oct. 2.—The first of the trio of new torpedo boats, which are being built at the Columbian iron works for the United States navy, was launched yesterday. There were no government officials present except the naval constructors, delegated to superintend the building of the vessels.

Prepared For Long Struggle.

Boston, Oct. 2.—Over 2000 men and women employed in the manufacture of clothing are on strike, in an endeavor to better their condition. The strikers claim that the contractors have violated their agreement, made last year, in nearly every particular, and that wages are at starvation point. As soon as the strikers left their work they resorted to their headquarters, where a mass meeting was held and preparations for a long struggle were completed. A number of committees were appointed, and every factory where the strike is in progress will be picketed by union forces. The strikers are confident of ultimate success, as this is the commencement of the busy season with them, and they claim many of the contractors, if obliged to remain idle for any length of time, will be driven into the bankruptcy court.

Kid McCoy Heard From.

Buffalo, Oct. 2.—A local paper prints a letter written by Kid McCoy, under date of Aug. 30, from Johannesburg, South Africa, thus showing where the middleweight has hidden himself of late. He writes: "The country is overrun with fighters, and I think that, after October, fighting will take a back seat, or be stopped. Bell, Heffernan and Bill Dougherty, two Australian middleweights, fight Sept. 5, for the middleweight championship and $2500 a side. I fight the winner for $5000 a side, Oct. 3. Then I shall return to God's country."

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR PRESERVES THE Natural Color of the Hair

DEATH SUMMONS

Prevents a Peculiar Marriage in Connecticut.

PROSPECTIVE GROOM WAS 80 YEARS OLD.

Father-in-Law Drops Dead at Wedding.

Bridgeport, Conn., Oct. 2.—David Wakeman, over 80 years old, and wealthy, was to have been married to Miss Anna Burdette, his housekeeper, and she had secured a license from the town clerk. James Staples, who had charge of the old man's affairs, heard of the license and hurried to the house to prevent the wedding. Wakeman was there unconscious and died soon after. The old man's wife died 20 years ago, and he took Anna Burdette from an orphan asylum to keep house for him. She has remained with him ever since, and two years ago gave birth to a child. Wakeman has supported both mother and child. Miss Burdette's action was advised by friends. The old man is said to have been worth $150,000.

Gloom at Wedding Ceremony.

New Haven, Oct. 2.—William F. Skinner, a former member of the firm of Skinner & Sperry, music dealers, came from Guilford yesterday, where he resided, to attend the wedding of his son, William F., and Miss Bertha Anderson Booth, at the bride's home. Immediately after the marriage, and while the congratulations were being made to the newly wedded couple, the father of the groom dropped dead of heart failure. He was 80 years old. The projected wedding tour was interrupted to make arrangements for the funeral.

Testimony Against Captain Hart.

Philadelphia, Oct. 2.—Captain John D. Hart, who was taken into custody on information furnished by George W. Comley, charged with violating the neutrality laws by shipping arms and ammunition to Cuba on the Laurada, was given a hearing yesterday before United States Commissioner Edmunds. Comley was Captain Hart's chief accuser. He testified that Captain Hart had hired him to ship on the Laurada last August. He told how the Laurada had left here Aug. 5, and sailed around to New York, where men were taken on board from the Richard K. Fox. There was also a lot of ammunition taken on board from lighters. After Comley had told in detail about the landing of the Laurada's cargo in Cuba, Commissioner Edmunds held Mr. Hart in $1000 bail for further hearing.

New Plan of Campaign.

New York, Oct. 2.—Commander Booth-Tucker has originated a new plan for Salvation Army work. He will start a floating army barracks, to cruise from port to port, doing rescue work by the way, rescuing sailors from the clutches of the harpies. The boat will be commanded and manned by seamen selected from the ranks of the army, will carry the army flag, and be painted in the army color, blue. Commander Tucker proposes to borrow or hire a man-of-war from the United States government. If a cruiser cannot be obtained, he will either raise funds to build one or hire a superannuated Atlantic liner.

Corn Cheaper Than Coal.

Minneapolis, Oct. 2.—Corn will be burned for fuel this winter in many sections of Minnesota and South Dakota. Coal is $2 per ton dearer than last year, and with corn at 11 cents a bushel, it is much more valuable as fuel than as food. It makes an excellent fire, and an ear of corn makes more heat than its bulk in wood. In North Dakota coal is so high-priced that the mining of lignite has been greatly stimulated. This coal is abundant and easily mined. It is rich in carbon, but has a great amount of ash and moisture. For fuel it is worth two-thirds its bulk in anthracite, and costs half as much.

Terrible Double Tragedy.

Holgate, O., Oct. 2.—The family of Mrs. J. P. Ricker, a widow, consisted of the widow and her daughter, Anna, 17 years old, a son, and a boarder named Nathan E. Spellman. The latter came home in a beastly state of intoxication, and was reprimanded by Mrs. Ricker. Spellman, while the son was at school, and Mrs. Ricker out attending to the stock, went into the house. He found the daughter ironing. What followed can only be surmised. Anna Ricker was attacked and her skull crushed. Spellman then cut his throat. There is no possible hope of Anna's recovery. Spellman is dead.

On an Important Mission.

New York, Oct. 2. — A delegation of Frenchmen is here to make a study of the labor movement in this country. The delegation was sent by the Musee Sociale, an institution founded by the Comte de Chambrieu to make a special study of social and economic questions. The delegation will be here a month, and will visit Boston, Philadelphia, Indianapolis, St. Louis, Chicago and Detroit.

Won't Pay Over $2.50.

Leadville, Colo., Oct. 2.—The miners held a largely attended meeting, but the session was strictly an executive one. From what leaked out it is believed that it was decided to stand firm. Several mine managers are preparing to start up, and state that they can get all the men they need at the $2.50 scale.

Bobbin Works Insolvent.

Newport, Vt., Oct. 2.—The Union bobbin works, employing 150 men and boys, has been forced into insolvency. All the help are out of work, but they expect that if the factory passes into other hands, it will start up again.

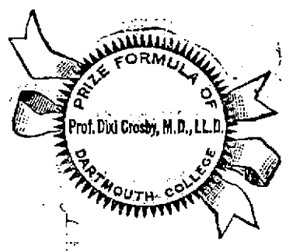
Disastrous Train Wreck.

Pittsburg, Oct. 2.—A freight wreck occurred at Filson station, on the eastern slope of the mountains, on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, yesterday. The entire train crew, consisting of the engineer, fireman, conductor, two brakemen and a flagman, and two tramps, who were stealing a ride, were killed. Thirty-four cars, which were loaded with coal, together with the engine and caboose, are piled up on the track. Whether the train got beyond the control of the brakemen in the tunnel is not known, but experienced railroad men say that owing to the condition of the track from the effects of the storm, it would be almost an impossibility to control such a long train on the steep grade, which is 17 miles long and about 125 feet to the mile.

Puritana Patients

Why They Take Puritana.

WHY THEY GET WELL.



The proof does it.
That is why people begin to take Puritana.
People find that their neighbors have tried it.
Their friends have tried it.
Men and women in every walk of life have tried it.
A man suffers.
Perhaps he has suffered for years.
He has tried many things.
They have all failed.
He reads a Puritana testimonial.
He reads another.
He sees new ones wherever he looks.
Some of the writers are in his own town.
Some in his own business.
Some he can see.
Some he can write to.
Some have been cured of his own ailment.
Some of other ailments.
All are grateful.
All are glad to tell suffering people how Puritana gave them relief.
They are approachable folks, and their voluntary testimonials count.
Some live in town.
Some in the country.
Some hold office.
Some vote.
But all are honest and sincere.
That is why any one can prove for himself the genuineness of Puritana cures.
Puritana patients get well.
This is a fact.
There are reasons for it.
Puritana is the discovery of Prof. Dixi Crosby.
He was the greatest New Hampshire physician of his day.
He was at the head of the Dartmouth Medical College for a generation.
He used common sense, and found that disease or health came to the body through the stomach.
He scientifically compounded a stomach medicine from the harmless products of nature.
This is Puritana.
It makes the stomach right.
That is why it makes the health right.
With a sound stomach no one can help being well.
That is why Puritana patients get well.
Chemists say that Puritana is a good medicine.
They also say it is well made.
The materials are the purest and best that money can buy.
Druggists say it is a good medicine.
Their customers buy it and are more than satisfied with its effects.
What the people say about Puritana you have read before, and you will read again.
The thousands of Puritana cures are becoming better known every day.
The patients are real people.
The cures are real cures.
They can be proven in court.
They can be proven by any medical society.
They have been proven before the tribunal of Public Opinion.

a speedy cure for the most obstinate cough. It *cannot* fail
HALE'S HONEY OF HOREHOUND AND TAR
Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar acts like magic for a cough or any throat or bronchial trouble. Ask your druggist.
Pike's Toothache Drops cure in one minute.

Five Cents.

That is the price of Tim and that is what Tim is *worth*. Compare Tim with those five-cent cigars that have been reduced from ten, fifteen, twenty-five, and fifty cents and you will find Tim far ahead in quality.

Timothy Gay & Co., Boston.

Examination for Evening School Teachers.

There will be an examination of candidates for positions as teachers of evening schools at the High School building, Kirk street, Saturday, Oct. 3, beginning at 8.30 a. m. in reading, writing, spelling, English grammar and language. Applicants must be at least twenty years of age to obtain positions. Certificates will be given without examination to applicants who taught in the evening schools last year, to graduates of colleges and of the Lowell High school, and to those who have passed an examination for the Lowell Training school.

A. K. WHITCOMB,
Secretary of the School Committee.

BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

CHANCE OF TIME
October 4th, 1896.

Sunday trains for Boston, Lawrence, Haverhill, via Western Division, now leaving at 8.45 p. m., will leave at 7.25 p. m.

This will be the last train for Boston Sundays.

Weekday trains for Boston, Southern Division, at 4 p. m., will leave at 3.55 p. m. At 6.24 p. m. will leave at 6.21 p. m.

Trains for the North, now leaving at 9.42 a. m., 1.42, 5.42, 8.13 and 8.43 p. m. will leave at 9.40 a. m., 1.40, 5.40, 8.11 and 8.40 p. m.

Train for Ayer and way stations, now leaving at 5.47 p. m. will leave at 5.42 p. m.

H. C. TAFT,
Gen'l Agent.

Did you know that BERTRAND, THE TAILOR, 24 Middle Street, Makes clothing for the best dressed people in town? Try him with an order for a Fall Suit or Overcoat.

TAXES

COLLECTOR'S NOTICE.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1896.

With instructions to collect in the manner prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1896, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On individual real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any taxable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the 1st day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1896 IS $15.00 ON $1000.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a.m. to 3 p.m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 2 to Oct. 13, inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 16 to Oct. 29, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

☞ Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1896, and bring it with you.

CHARLES F. COBURN,
City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

IF YOU WANT A CASE
Of the Leading Brands of
LAGER, JONES' ALE, Or PORTER
TELEPHONE.
J. H. RILEY,
Bottler, Nos. 96 and 102 Lakeview Avenue
Telephone Number 414-4.

WE DON'T BLAME YOU

For kicking because your carriage was not repaired properly—But all the kicking in the world won't make them give the kind of work that has made the Sawyer Carriage Co. the best repair shop in town.

There's a difference between our work and that done by others. Try ours and compare.

THE SAWYER CARRIAGE CO.
Kitson Building, Worthen Street.

COOL EVENINGS ARE COMING!
Why not order your light weight overcoat now and save a few dollars? Our unlined heavy coverts are handies.
DAVIS & NICKERSON,
Tailors, 9 CENTRAL STREET.
New Goods Arriving Every Week.

WANT COLUMN.

FOUND—That after 5500 cakes of "Sapro shine" guaranteed to clean, silver, plant, brass, etc., and wash hands to satisfaction. Not one cake returned yet. Ask your grocers and druggists for it.

GOOD INVESTMENT.—600 shares stock in active company for sale, at 84 per share, must be sold to settle estate. Address post office box 1864, Boston.

WANTED—A position as stenographer and typewriter; experienced; mercantile or legal work; can give good recommendation; also good references. Address R, sun office, Lowell, Mass.

TO RENT—House, newly painted inside and out, nine rooms, stable, two stalls, carriage house, hen house. Beautifully located between Broadway and Pawtucket street on Wilder. Apply to J. A. Green, 85 Merrimack street.

FOR SALE.—Near Wentford and Lane streets, two tenement house, all modern improvements, 5000 feet of land; you can buy this place at a bargain. Call and see G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOR SALE.—Near Powell street, two story house, large lot of land; this is your chance to get a home and on easy terms. Price $1450. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—A capable man of good address for local or traveling agent. Permanent position. Ellwanger & Barry, Nurserymen, Rochester, N. Y.

FOR SALE.—In Belvidere, good cottage house of seven rooms, near mills, good lot of land. Price $1350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—Your child to have Rosy Cheeks, Pure Blood, to rest well. Get a box of the Alden Worm and Scrofula Tablets at all druggists. Price 25c., prepaid, by the Lowell Chemistry Co.

FOR SALE.—On Westford street, cottage house, small barn, one acre of land; this is a bargain. Price $1500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LADIES—Chichester's English Pennyroyal Pills (Diamond Brand) are the best. Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c., stamps, for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

FOR SALE.—In Pawtucketville, near new bridge, good two tenement house, large lot of land, always rented. Price $2500. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

ALL LADIES having a few hours leisure each day should write at once regarding pleasant home work which easily pays $15 weekly. This is no deception and will certainly pay you to investigate. Reply with stamped envelope. Mrs. S. A. Stebbins, Lawrence, Mich.

FOR SALE.—On line of electric road, small place of 16 acres of land, new cottage house; this is your chance. Price $1200. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—600 young and old men to bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lew's Dye house and Clothes Cleaning establishment, at 417 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

MOODY STREET BRIDGE HOUSE LOTS.
New Bridge will be completed in a few days. The electric road is being laid across the bridge. Sewers, gas, city water, etc. 70 houses have been built in the last 8 months, and a large number are being built at the present time. Don't delay; choice lots are going quick, prices are low, only 10, 12 and 15c. per foot, easy monthly payments. Call for plans, terms etc. On the land every afternoon.
A. J. RYAN, Agt.
Room 204 Hildreth Building (Old Post Office)

LOWELL RENDERING CO.
Highest cash prices paid for Hides, Tallow, Skins, etc.
Dead animals removed.
Factory and Office, So. Lowell
Telephone, 322-3. City Tel., 582-4.

THE LOWELL TRUNK MANUFACTORY
Are offering some very big bargains for summer tourists. The latest one is the best Dress Suit Case that was ever offered for $5. Also all other Furnishings for traveling.
70-72 Middlesex St. Old Wooden Building

PETER J. BRADY, GROCER
448 Corham Street.
Choice Teas, Coffees and Spices
Try our "BIG TWELVE" brand of flour, the best in the city.

THE WEATHER.

Sun rises—5:43; sets, 5:23.
Length of day—11:40.
Moon rises—12:12 a. m.
Full sea—6:55 a. m.; 7:15 p. m.

Forecast for New England: Partly cloudy, and slightly cooler weather, with northerly winds.

TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON.

Southern Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 45	6 53	6 00	§7 07
6 30	7 41	6 30	7 53
6 59	8 03	6 40	§7 39
§7 01	7 54	8 09	9 11
*§7 18	8 02	*8 30	§9 16
*§7 27	8 12	*9 00	§9 45
§7 33	8 50	*9 30	§10 07
7 40	8 55	10 00	11 12
*7 45	8 35	10 45	11 55
*8 50	9 49	11 30	§12 07
9 00	10 30	12 00	§12 56
9 40	10 40	*1 00	§1 34
11 00	12 00	*1 15	§1 52
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1 40	2 50	3 30	4 48
3 00	4 25	4 15	§5 32
*§4 00	4 45	4 50	§5 57
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*§7 47	8 30	*8 00	§8 40
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		11 20	12 25

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
§7 18	8 02	2 15	§3 05
§7 27	8 12	9 00	§10 07
8 45	9 50	1 00	§1 57
§9 16	10 10	5 00	§5 59
§4 25	5 32	7 30	§8 16
§5 58	7 00	8 00	§6 40
		9 09	10 05

Western Division.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
6 50	8 03	7 21	8 33
8 15	9 10	9 25	10 37
9 25	10 39	10 25	11 46
10 56	12 02	1 20	1 05
12 05	1 37	2 15	3 10
12 45	1 59	3 31	4 20
2 31	3 41	3 49	4 56
2 55	4 02	4 25	5 45
4 05	5 23	5 01	6 20
5 10	6 43	6 05	7 09
6 15	7 16	6 35	7 48
7 00	8 06	9 40	10 41
9 30	10 41	11 15	12 15

Sunday Trains.

To Boston. Lve.	Arr.	From Boston. Lve.	Arr.
8 15	9 27	8 00	9 19
12 05	1 27	11 45	12 58
4 15	5 29	5 00	6 27
5 30	6 50	8 40	9 40
8 45	9 56		

Trains by this division leave Lowell from Middlesex street station.

Leave Boston from the new Union Station, Causeway street.

*Express.

§From Middlesex St. station only.

LOCAL NEWS.

Next time try Old Hundred.

T. C. Lee, fire insurance, Donovan bl'd.

Taxes are due Oct. 1; interest begins Oct. 20.

An elegant mineral bath "Saproshine" for sale by grocers and druggists.

Send your orders for winter coal by postal or telephone to Rourke & Sullivan, 984 Gorham street.

Abbie M. Smith has a fine display of millinery at her store, 175 Merrimack street. The opening will be held today and tomorrow.

Do you keep a horse or cow? You can buy the best of grain, hay and bedding for either of W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street. Try a barrel of his flour.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Special Church Services.

Today being the first Friday in the month, special services were held in all the Catholic churches. At the masses this morning there were many communicants.

It is stated that Rev. Michael O'Brien, Rev. William O'Brien and Rev. Fr. McManus will sail from Europe from this country tomorrow.

Good Templars' European Trip.

Arrangements have been completed for several hundred members of the Independent Order of Good Templars from all parts of the United States to take an extended trip to Europe during next May, June and July. The tour will include England, Belgium, Germany and Switzerland, with a protracted stay at Zurich during the international convention, which will be held in June. After the convention quite a number of the Templars will make a special tour of Scandanavia, and then visit Stockholm during the session of the grand lodge. Henry Gase & Sons of New York, have charge of the arrangements.

BASE BALL.

Don't forget the Emerald-South End game at the Fair Grounds tomorrow. It will be a dandy. Billy Merritt will be umpire.

CRISP GOSSIP.

One of the finest landscape gardeners in this section is an inmate of the city farm. He has had out a beautiful crescent and and star shaped flower bed in front of the men's hospital at the city institution.

"Charlie" Dempsey, who went out with the Andrew Mack company, is now with May Irwin in the "Widow Jones."

When Mr. Bryan was speaking in Providence, Monday, a little boy, was jammed in the crowd about 20 feet from the platform. A gentleman lifted the crying child in his arms to keep him from getting walked upon. Mr. Bryan saw the boy's predicament and he called out for the crowd to pass him up to the platform. "For you know, he may be a boy orator some day," added the Boy Orator. The lad was pushed along to the platform and remained there during the speech of Mr. Bryan.—Woonsocket Call.

Hugh Duffy took a big drop in batting this season. The old Lowell player now stands 54th in the list. "Joe" Kelley who once played with Lowell and is now with Baltimore is given a fielding average of .947 and Johnson, Louisville's second baseman, who once delighted Lowellians has a fielding average of .936.

Today and tomorrow will be observed as "ladies days" down town. The millinery establishments all have their richest raiment.

October started in bright and fair, then changed to dark and threatening.

Today is the 276th day of the year.

The moon's phases for this month are: New moon on the 6th, first quarter 13th, full moon 21st and last quarter 29th.

Did you ever notice the funny fall a man takes who starts to run up stairs and gets his umbrella tangled with his legs?

Twenty-six miles of asphalt pavement were laid in New York this year. Three years ago asphalt pavement cost $7 a yard in this country. Now the same work can be done for $3.50.

A good story is told of a new conductor on the L. and S. road. He was substituting on the Westford street route, and it is said that one day as the car was passing Ellingwood's store on the return trip, the new conductor jumped from the car, ran into Ellingwood's, yelled out "Westford street," and on his way back to the car, dropped the envelope containing the fares into the mail box. He thought he was at the car station all the time. You can't convince this man that he is absent-minded.

New Crop Teas.

We have just received several lines of new crop teas, which are very choice. Dickson Bros., the big tea dealers, No. 68 Merrimack street.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 MERK ST.

HUNDRED KILLED

By Storms Along the Florida Coast.

LOSS TO PROPERTY ESTIMATED IN MILLIONS.

Virginia and Georgia Suffered Heavy Losses.

Pensacola, Fla., Oct. 2.—Railroad communication with the eastern and middle parts of the state has just been re-established, and harrowing tales are being received of the West India storm, which swept over the peninsula of Florida Tuesday night and Wednesday morning. It appears that the storm left the gulf and struck the coast about Cedar Keys, which is said to be almost completely wrecked. From this it swept in a northeasterly course, its diameter being about 40 miles across the state, doing fearful damage at the towns of Gainesville, High Springs, Newberry, Lake City, Bronford, Callahan and many others. Brick and frame buildings were blown down, and near Callahan, several children were killed in a schoolhouse which was wrecked.

The wind is reported to have reached a velocity of 100 miles an hour, and there is widespread destruction in the path of the storm. It is impossible yet to learn how many persons were killed, but it is believed that the dead will be fully 100, and that many others were injured. Much damage is reported at Jacksonville, but no loss of life, as the center of the storm seems to have passed to the north of that city. The storm was not felt here, but after it left the gulf Tuesday night, a high bank of air rushed in from the north, blowing almost a gale, and lowering the temperature about 25 degrees. Later reports received last night show that the storm was a twisting tornado, that moved with great rapidity from the gulf to the Atlantic coast. In many places buildings were wrecked in less than a minute, and soon afterward the sun was shining brightly. The loss of property cannot now be estimated, but it is very heavy, not only in the towns, but on the farms, where the crops were destroyed.

Heavy Damage at Washington.

Washington, Oct. 2. — The work of counting up the loss and repairing the ravages of the storm continues, and as reports come in the widespread character of the damage wrought becomes even more apparent, no locality nor any of the surrounding country having escaped. About $433,500 is given as the total of the storm's damage within the city. The unroofing of so many houses caused a brisk demand for roofing tin, and sent the price up much above its normal value. The only loss of life in the city was occasioned by the falling of the Alert building, from the ruins of which the body of James Fitzgerald was taken. Several other persons were injured in the fall of this building.

Serious fears are entertained that there will be a flood in the Potomac river at this point. The weather bureau last night issued a special river bulletin, warning property owners along the river front that the water would rise rapidly during the next 24 hours, and that all property was in danger. The water is now six feet above the average.

Twelve Killed at Savannah.

Savannah, Oct. 2.—The worst of the tornado news from this city has been told. The number of deaths reported up to this time is 12, and there will probably be no other bodies found. The city has recovered entirely from the blow, and business is now going on without interruption. News from Tybee island is not encouraging. The Tybee railroad is badly damaged, and trains cannot reach the island. The wind cut a wide swath along the railroad track, destroying almost everything near it. Trees and grass were blown up by the ton and scattered all over the track. It is said that it is almost wholly buried under the debris, and it will take some time to clear it. The damage to property on the island is almost $30,000. The rice crop in Savannah and section will be shortened one-third by the storm. The loss in Savannah and section will be $1,000,-000.

Sea Islands Suffer.

Savannah, Oct. 2.—Reports from the coast are meagre. The Sea islands along the coast of Georgia and South Carolina had almost a repetition of the storm of 1893. Almost every cottage and cabin in the wake of the storm was destroyed, but the water was not piled upon them as in 1893, consequently the suffering was not so severe. The fatalities on the Sea islands were not numerous, and were due to accidents from falling timbers or trees more than to water. Only those who happened to be caught out in boats were drowned. It is believed the number of fatalities on the Sea islands will not exceed 100. Twenty negroes were killed on the rye plantations by falling timbers. The Sea islands cotton crop is badly damaged.

Jury Cut Down Figures.

Farmington, Me., Oct. 2.—In the suit brought by Miss Stella Toothaker, a teacher of Phillips, Me., alleging slander, on the part of Charles B. Conant, claiming $5000 damages, the jury found a verdict for the plaintiff, and fixed the damages at $112.

Opening Thursday eve, Sept. 24, Les Miserable bowling alley and billiard hall, E. Merrimack street.

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WHITEHEAD'S WATERLOO.

Young Ten Eyck Won the Race by a Length and a Quarter.

Worcester, Mass., Oct. 2.—Joseph J. Whitehead, the amateur single scull champion of America, was defeated yesterday afternoon in a match race for a $100 gold watch by Edward H. Ten Eyck of the Wachusett Boat club of this city. The race was 1½ miles, with a turn, and was rowed over the old college course on Lake Quinsigamond. Ten Eyck's time was 9:58 2-5, the fastest that has ever been made by a single sculler over this course. About 2000 people, including a fair-sized contingent from Boston, witnessed the race, which was a most exciting one from the start to the finish.

Whitehead led from the start to the turn, but here Ten Eyck got the better of him, and squared away with a slight advantage. He increased his lead until he was three lengths to the good. Then, three-eighths of a mile from the finish, Whitehead made a grand spurt, and reduced the lead to 1¼, by which distance the Worcester sculler won. The race was a lively affair for the betting fraternity. The Boston men were wagered to a standstill shortly after they arrived at the lake, and about $5000 changed hands. Whitehead is not satisfied with the result, and wants to row his man again next spring.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS.

The wheat market is exceptionally high at present.

Foreign refined sugars are taking trade from domestic refiners.

Joseph H. Jewett was badly burned by an exploding lamp at Westerly, R. I.

The members of the Venezuelan commission will resume their labors next week.

Joseph Nawahi, who has just died, was the chief supporter of the ex-queen of Hawaii.

Surplus earnings of the Union Pacific railroad for the past year were nearly $5,000,000.

Prince von Schoenburg-Hartenstein, vice president of the O[illegible]aus of the Austrian reichsrath, is dead.

The public schools of Hanover, N. H., have been closed for one week, by reason of the scarlet fever epidemic.

Convention of the American Electro-Therapeutic association adjourned to meet at Harrisburg next September.

Senator George F. Hoar of Massachusetts arrived at New York on the steamer Havel from Bremen and Southampton.

The Bar Harbor (Me.) house of Henry Sedley, a New York editor, was entered by thieves, and property valued at $350 was stolen.

Convicted on Second Trial.

Detroit, Oct. 2.—The second trial of John C. Bedewig and William H. Johnson resulted, yesterday, in a verdict of guilty against both defendants. They were tried for conspiring, with others, to obstruct the passage of the United States mail. On July 16, 1894, an express train was derailed two miles west of Battle Creek. One rail was found to have been moved, and spiked fast a foot out of the line. The fireman of the train was killed in the accident.

Charged by a Stag.

Vienna, Oct. 2.—The Duke Albert of Wurtemberg was seriously injured recently by a wounded stag, while deer stalking in the Austrian Alps. The animal charged upon the duke.

Sixty Thousand Rifles Ordered.

Berlin, Oct. 2.—Spain has ordered 60,-000 seven-millimetre rifles from Lowe, for delivery in December.

Democrats, register tonight from 7 to 9.

Patents Granted.

Patents have been granted to Lowell men as follows: James T. Cowley, assignor to Lamson Consolidated Store service company, Newark, N. J., cash carrier apparatus; John H. Goodfellow, assignor to Lamson Consolidated Store Service company, Boston, store service apparatus, two patents.

A SPIRIT OF FAIRNESS

Shown by Yale Boys In Settling the Regrettable Ivy Incident.

New Haven, Oct. 2.—The members of the ivy committee of Yale's class of '96 have made public what will undoubtedly prove a happy solution of the trouble engendered by the planting of the slip of ivy from the grave of Robert Lee on the Yale campus, and its subsequent theft during the summer. The members of the ivy committee have been in correspondence over the theft of the ivy since it became known, and have decided to plant another of the several slips from General Lee's grave, which were originally sent, and also, on a proposition of Wallace Bruce, '67, a slip from the grave of Theodore Winthrop, the poet and writer, who was one of the first Yale officers to meet death in the Union army. The planting of the ivies will be made a notable event, and the plan of having ex-Governor Chamberlain of South Carolina deliver the oration is being favorably considered.

It is probable, however, the slips will not be put into the ground till early spring. Mr. Wells, chairman of the committee, in speaking on the matter, said the Winthrop ivy will be planted close beside that from the grave of General Lee, and as the ivies grow together, they will typify the wish of every loyal Yale man for a union in spirit of the north and south, and a blow at any attempt to create sectionalism in any form among Yale alumni and undergraduates.

The Commodore Off Again.

Charleston, Oct. 2.—Steamer Commodore, which made several filibustering expeditions from this port to Cuba, left here yesterday, announcing preparatory to her departure that she was bound for Jacksonville, Fla. It is said, however, by some that she is making for the Cuban coast. She had aboard a large supply of coal, and appeared to be otherwise heavily laden.

Professor Anthony's Great Collection.

San Diego, Cal., Oct. 2.—Junk Alta has arrived from Lower California with Professor E. A. Anthony, who went there in the interest of the Smithsonian institute. He brings back a great quantity of shells, mosses and sea flora and natural history specimens, many of them entirely new to naturalists.

Walker Succeeds Moore.

Chicago, Oct. 2.—At a meeting of the directors of the Diamond Match company yesterday, Edwin Walker, a prominent corporation lawyer of Chicago, was elected director, to succeed W. H. Moore. Mr. Walker was also made general counsel for the company.

Paymaster Robbed of $1122.

San Francisco, Oct. 2.—The steamer China brings the news of a robbery of $1122 in coin from the paymaster of the United States cruiser Boston, at Shanghai, by Seamen Hendricksen and Mooney, two members of the crew. They were caught a few days later.

AN ELEVATOR FALLS

In Lowell and Leaves Something for Later Development.

Lowell people doubtless remember the elevator accident in Bartlett & Dow's hardware store last February, when Mr. Mark Walsh fell from the third floor with the elevator, on which was a safe. He was taken to the hospital with some broken ribs, recovered, and returned to his employment. Two months ago a kidney trouble developed, doubtless from the shock of the fall. It began with a bad backache, followed by painful urination, and a tendency to gravel. If sitting, it was next to impossible to rise, so great and acute were the pains. He felt that he must put himself under the doctors, but before doing so, he read of Doan's Kidney Pills, and what they were doing in Lowell. Mr. Walsh resides at 128 Central street, and so sent to Ellingwood & Co's, Merrimack and Central streets, and got a box. He says: "I took them as directed, and was helped at once. I now have no trouble of any kind, my back is all right, the urinary difficulty entirely corrected, and it was Doan's Kidney Pills that did it. I am recommending them highly and you may send any one to me and I will give them my case. If they helped me they will help them."

Just such testimony we receive daily. The kidneys often receive injuries, taking time to develop, and in such cases are generally very painful. But we want all to understand that a kidney complaint from any cause is still a kidney complaint and Doan's Kidney Pills will cure them every time.

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Are the best and most reliable makes in the market, such as can be warranted to give satisfaction, and we have the desirable shades.

Special Bargains Today Are

One lot of Plaid Novelties

At 50c. a Yard

One lot of Satin Gros-Grain Silk, large stylish figures

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Children's entertainment at 10 o'clock.
Trick Bicycle Exhibitions at stated times.
100 yard dash at one o'clock on Portland St.
Ball game, Boston vs. Providence at Athletic Park at 2 o'clock.
Balloon ascension with Parachute Jump at 4 o'clock.
Lantern parade at 8 o'clock.
Hoyt's "A Temperance Town," at the Academy of Music.

WEDNESDAY

Foot ball game at Athletic Park at 10 o'clock.
Trick Bicycle Exhibitions.
Road Race at 12 o'clock.
Balloon Ascension at 4 o'clock.
Evening open. Possibly some entertainment at City Hall.

THURSDAY

Firemen's Muster.
Parade at 10 o'clock.
Trial of Engines at 2 o'clock.
Trial of Hand Tubs at 3 o'clock.
Grand Ball in the evening.

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